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It almost snowed today.

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Mrs Sayre opened doors and windows and turned off the gas, but overlooked two jets She telephoned police, and when they arrived she was outside the house, slightly affected by the gas fumes she had inhaled, and two jets were still open in the kitchen

Born in Gettysburg

Doctor Constantino, of Flushing hospital pronounced Mr McClean dead and treated Mrs Sayre No notes were left by Mr McClean and police attributed his suicide to his wife's illness

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Mr McClean had been active in the civic advancement of Staten Island, New York McClean avenue in New York city was named in his honor

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College Debaters To Meet Colgate

The Gettysburg college debate team will open its home schedule on Thursday evening when it opposes the Colgate university team in the Student Christian association building at 7 o'clock

The question will be "Resolved That United States should maintain a strict policy of military and economic isolation" The judges will be from Mt St Mary's college at Emmitsburg Dr Thomas L Cline coach of the college team, will preside

Gettysburg will debate the negative side of the question and will be represented by Gerst Buyer and Kent Gilbert

Two members of the team—George Barnett and George Hanawalt—argued the affirmative side of the question at Bucknell university this afternoon

Joe Dice is manager of the college debaters and Robert Rhoads is publicity manager

The public is invited to Thursday's debate

PAST GRANDS TO ELECT

The one hundredth meeting of the Adams County Past Grand association of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows will be held at York Springs on Thursday evening The meeting will mark the tenth anniversary of the institution of the organization and will be conducted by W D Sheely, Littlestown, the retiring president. Officers for the next year will be nominated and elected on Thursday evening

Books for Gifts—our stock now most complete, select yours now—Sweetland.

Hit in Face by Brick as Brother Topples Chimney

"That chimney ought to be fixed William Dayhoff, 76, Littlestown R 2, told his brother, Earl, the other day 'Someday it will fall and hurt somebody," he added

So this morning about 8 o clock Earl, who also lives near Littlestown, decided to push over the loose chimney of the old springhouse at his farm William looked on from the other side of the building

The bricks came down—and one of them hit William in the face

He was treated by Dr H S Crouse Littlestown, and brought to the Warner hospital where he received treatment for a compound fracture of his nose, a fracture of a face bone near his left eye and a severe gash under that eye He returned home later this morning

APPLY FOR LICENSE

Clair Frederick Fiscel, son of Mr and Mrs Calvin D Fiscel Gettysburg R 1, and Miss Glenna Sarah Kime Gettysburg, have filed an application here for a marriage license

700 RUSSIANS ARE MISSING IN STEAMER WRECK

Wakkanai, Hokkaido Japan Dec 13 (AP)—More than 700 Russians, including women and children, were missing today and believed drowned or frozen to death in the wreck of the Russian steamer Indigirka on the treacherous coast of Hokkaido

The Japanese ship Karafuto Maru arrived here with 395 survivors from the crowded Russian fishing service vessel which went aground in a blizzard Tuesday on the east coast of Hokkaido, northernmost of the main Japanese islands

Survivors, most of whom were suffering from exposure, said the ship carried 700 fishermen many accompanied by wives and children and a crew of 39

(The scene of the wreck is on one route between fishing stations on the Kamchatka peninsula and Vladivostock)

THIEF WRECKS CAR AND FLEES

State motor police here are seeking the man who first stole auto switch keys from the home of Mrs H L Walter Gettysburg R 3 near Mummasburg, and then removed her daughter's car from the garage Tuesday evening

The car was found damaged later in the evening at the intersection of the Table Rock-Schriver's Crossroads road and the Goldenville road The thief apparently had rolled the car over on its left side as he attempted to turn toward Goldenville from the Table Rock road

Witnesses of the accident said a man crawled from the over-turned car and fled across a field disregarding their orders to halt The car, owned by Mrs Caroline Ruth Smelser Main street Arendtsville was considerably damaged

Officer C W Hamberger of the Gettysburg detail of the motor police who investigated said that a son of Mrs Walter was at home alone and that the keys apparently had been taken from the unlocked house after he retired His mother and sister had gone to Gettysburg

Two Marines Here For Recruiting Duty

Staff Sergeants G A Newhouse and J P Collins from the Marine Barracks Navy Yard Philadelphia were on duty today at the Gettysburg post office as recruiting officers They will continue there Thursday and Friday from 8 30 a m until 4 p m each day

The age limits for the recruits are 18 and 30 years Men accepted here will be sent to the barracks at the Philadelphia Navy Yard for a final examination and then if they are accepted they will be sent to Parris Island South Carolina, for a 29-day training period in a recruit camp After that time they will be eligible for assignments to Marine posts

Hospital Report

Sterling Starner Gardners R 2 an employe of Foth and Gulden company, Aspers, was X-rayed at the Warner hospital this morning for an injury to his right ankle

Mrs Edward Welch, Aspers, and Betty Jane Smith, West High street, have been admitted as patients to the hospital Those discharged were Mrs George Myers, Fairfield, and Riley Humbert, Littlestown

Cheap Xmas trees 25c, 50c and $1 00 Swifty's, 131 York street. Free delivery

Non-Resident Gives $25 for Xmas Baskets

A "non-resident of Gettysburg" today donated $25 to the Christmas Basket committee to help provide Christmas dinners for every needy family in Adams county

The spirit which prompted the large contribution reveals the generous qualities of the individual who said

"I do not want my name mentioned in connection with this donation I always try to do something for unfortunate families, especially during the Christmas season I like the way Gettysburg citizens are handling the Christmas basket idea this year and I want to help the cause I think the committee is doing a splendid thing Although I am not a resident of Gettysburg I consider it a privilege to donate to this worthy effort

RELIEF BOARD ENDORSES PLAN TO HELP NEEDY

Members of the Adams County Board of Public Assistance who already have supplied long lists of families that would appreciate a basket of food at Christmas time formally endorsed at a regular meeting Tuesday afternoon the program of the Christmas Basket committee recently organized here

"While state and federal funds are used to supply daily needs of families on relief rolls and persons receiving other forms of assistance, there are many homes in the county where Christmas could be no different from other days unless some one supplies gifts Colonel J L Barton, executive director for the board said this morning

The board on Tuesday afternoon reviewed three cases in which persons had offered excuses for failing to report for work on W.P.A or relief-work projects. The reasons for not reporting were held by the board to be not valid and the persons involved were dropped from relief rolls

The board appointed Robert P Smith and Mrs Maude Saby members to study the question of legal responsibility of relatives in relief cases The board studied several cases involving policies on that question The policies of the state board are based upon the state's support laws, a board spokesman said

Approval was given on relief-work project No 8 which provides for the employment of up to four men on upkeep work on Huntington township roads

Little change was shown in the case loads for any of the forms of assistance rendered by the board during the last month As of December 2 there were 214 general assistance cases including 717 persons 394 persons receiving old age assistance, and 64 cases where aid to dependent children is being distributed to a total of 224 persons including 160 children

Chairman James B Aumen presided over the meeting which was attended by Mrs Saby Gettysburg L W Kuhn, Bendersville, and Robert P Smith McSherrystown

DEATH

Mrs John H Asper

Mrs Amelia J Asper 76 wife of John H Asper Dillsburg R 1, died at her home Tuesday afternoon at 1 10 o clock from a complication of diseases

She was a daughter of the late George S and Mary Ann (Miller) Slothower The deceased was a member of the Lower Bermudian Lutheran church and the home department of Calvary Lutheran church Dover

In addition to her husband she is survived by two daughters, Mrs Lottie Altland Hanover, and Mrs Minnie Nagle Lemoyne, one son Lewis R Asper Dillsburg R 2 and eight grandchildren

Funeral services Friday afternoon at 1 30 o'clock from the L C Pitentiny funeral home, York Springs, conducted by the Rev Lester M Utz Interment in Mt Olivet cemetery adjoining the Lower Bermudian church

Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock

TO OPERATE BAKERY

Mrs H S Spangler, Biglerville, has announced that she will continue to operate the bakery founded and operated by her late husband Mr Spangler died last Friday morning from a heart attack

INDIAN GUIDE SPEAKS AT "Y" MEETING HERE

The annual Adams county Y M C A meeting was held Tuesday evening in Hill's coffee shop, Chambersburg street with delegations from Biglerville, Fairfield Littlestown and East Berlin, as well as Gettysburg residents in attendance

Dr Henry W A Hanson, president of Gettysburg college a member of the state committee of the Y was present and spoke and acted as toastmaster

Herbert Stroup, student president of College Y M C A, was present and spoke on the religious attitude of college students in America which he stated has greatly changed the last few years In fact he said, only two per cent do not believe in God

Dean Carey president of the Hi-Y club at Biglerville high school made a report of their work which last season enrolled more than a hundred boys and girls in Bible study The club, he said had helped school spirit and better sportsmanship

Prof Paul King had charge of the delegation from Littlestown interested in the Hi-Y movement Charles E Ford, Harrisburg state boys' work secretary of the Y M C A, reported the progress of boys work in co-operation with schools which had grown so that Pennsylvania leads the nation He said that six hundred school boys and girls at Chambersburg are members of twelve Y M C A clubs

The special guest of the evening was Joe Friday, a full-blooded Indian guide from the Temigani forest reserve in northern Ontario, province of Canada The boys present were much interested in the stories told by the guide of hunting the giant moose and of fishing in the far northern region Chief Friday told how the Indians lived in the open and gave the calls of many wild animals of the region Arrangements have been made for Chief Friday to address the high school assemblies at both Littlestown and Biglerville on December 18

Services Held for Mrs. Ida Mumper

Funeral services for Mrs Ida M Mumper 72 Baltimore street who died Monday morning in the Warner hospital from a complication of diseases, were held this afternoon at 2 o clock from the H B Bender and son funeral home conducted by the Rev Spencer W Aungst Interment in Evergreen cemetery

The pallbearers were George Black N B Schnurman C J Toot Norman Stonick Charles C Culp and Richard Eisenhart

SOCIETY TO MEET

The December meeting of the Adams county Crippled Children's society will be held this evening at 8 o clock at the Hotel Eberhart with the president Dean W E Tilberg presiding

Musselman Company Host To County's Cherry Growers

Approximately 100 Adams county cherry growers and their wives were guests of the C H Musselman company, Biglerville, at the annual cherry growers' banquet Tuesday evening in the Bendersville community hall

H T Hartman Adams county farm agent presided as toastmaster

Luther Baltzley, Gettysburg R D was awarded a gold watch as the commercial grower with the highest percentage of U S No 1 grade cherries The award is made only to those who grow large quantities of cherries for commercial use

Gold watches previously were presented to the following Daniel Sheely, Cashtown, 1936 A B C Williams, York Springs 1937, and John Sease Orrtanna, 1938

It was reported the crop grown by H G Haverstock, owned by the Musselman company was the best grade commercial crop in the county for 1939 but the grower was ineligible for an award inasmuch as the watch is given annually to a grower outside of the Musselman company organization

John Ruff, of Penn State college, was the principal speaker Several cherry trees were placed on the platform in front of the audience and Mr Ruff used these for demonstrating the proper methods of pruning and advantages to be gained by proper care of trees

Among other speakers were D M Wertz, prominent cherry grower from Waynesboro and W N McClung Berkeley county farm agent from Martinsburg West Virginia

Entertainment was furnished by a group of York entertainers under the direction of William Ketterman

Property Transfers

David C Forney sold to Dr Bruce N and Dorothy F Wolff, all of Gettysburg a two acre lot along Wadsworth avenue in Cumberland township

Luther I Sachs sold to L A Gotwald and Ethel E Gotwald all of Gettysburg a lot on Seminary avenue

Jacob D McDannell and Minnie Mae McDannell sold to Melvin H and Pearl J Schnyler all of Franklin township a lot in Franklin township

Allen L and Hazel M Currens Hamiltonban township sold to Harry F Shindledecker Gettysburg, a five-acre plot in Hamiltonban township

Earle R and Alda F Myers sold to D J and Frieda K Wolff all of Arendtsville a South High street property in Arendtsville

BUS HITS TREE IN ROAD; 3 HURT

Three women received injuries when a bus in which they were riding, driven by Glenn Hoke, Biglerville R D, struck a tree lying across the highway on a curve on the Quaker Valley road just off the Gettysburg-Carlisle highway Tuesday evening about 6 o clock

Hoke who operates a transportation bus for employes at the Knouse corporation Peach Glen, said he was blinded by lights of an approaching car as he rounded a curve and struck a tree lying partly across the highway There were 15 persons in the bus returning home from work in addition to the driver

Mrs Ray Culp Biglerville R 1 sustained a fractured pelvis and Mrs Alda Knouse also of Biglerville R 1 received an injury to her left leg Both were X-rayed at the Warner hospital this morning Mrs Robert Wampler Biglerville R D, was treated for minor injuries at the office of Dr J L Boyer Arendtsville

Warner Hospital Lists Articles Received From Annual Food Drive

A condensed report of the hundreds of articles gathered for the Warner hospital in the 1939 food drive conducted under the direction of Mrs T J Winebrenner and a large corps of helpers was released today by Miss Sara J Clark hospital superintendent

The report shows that the successful drive brought in more than 500 cans of fruits and vegetables and well over 1 700 quart jars of fruits and vegetables in addition to a long list of other items that ranged from herring to paint, pickles mustard and chop suey and included large quantities of standard food products

Miss Clark's report shows 82 cans of fruit and 424 cans of vegetables There were 994 quart jars of fruit and 734 quart jars of vegetables

Variety of Gifts

The variety and abundance of the gifts is indicated by this list of donations from countians appreciative of the services rendered by the hospital

Fifty-eight and a half bushels of apples, two quarts of apple butter, two quarts of apple sauce, a half peck of crabapples, 1½ bushels of dried apples 1½ bushels of string beans, 13 pounds of beans, 17 cans of baked beans, six quarts of green lima beans, 5¼ bushels of beets; 14 pounds of cocoa, three cantaloupes, four cans of chocolate syrup, 36 heads of cabbage, 1½ bushels of carrots; a can of cleanser, six cans of cranberry sauce, 11 boxes of cornstarch, 16 pounds of coffee, 51 boxes of cereal; five bottles of catsup, five pounds of cornmeal; three pounds of dried corn; 10 packages of chocolate; a bushel of cracked corn; four bushels of corn, two bunches of swiss chard, a can of chop suey and 10 cucumbers

Forty packages of dessert, 36 eggs, 12 egg plants 242 pounds of flour, a can of herring, six boxes of pancake flour two quarts of hominy, quarter peck of hickory nuts, 669 glasses of jelly 29 cans and bottles of all kinds of fruit juices, 17 bottles of flavoring extract, 22 packages of jello 12 heads of Chinese lettuce, 19 cans of milk, one jar of mayonnaise nine packages of macaroni and noodles six water melons a quart of mustard 1½ bushels of onions six cans of pop corn 119 pumpkins seven pounds of prunes, 17 quarts of pickles, 1½ bushels of pears 19 oranges and 13½ bushels of potatoes

Cash Also Received

Three and one-quarter bushels of peppers, 3½ bushels of peaches, 31 pounds of rice, three pecks of radishes a bushel of rhubarb, one box of raisins 25 cans of soup two cans of spaghetti three cans of sauer kraut, 138 pounds of sugar, seven and a half bushels of sweet potatoes, 11 boxes of sale, eight cans of syrup, 108 cakes of soap, three boxes of soap flakes, a box of soda, seven cans of salmon, 35 squashes, a pound of starch, and three bushels of tomatoes

Three and three-quarter bushels of turnips, 81 cans and jars of tomato juice, nine boxes of tapioca, eight pounds of tea; a peck of quinces, five packages of paper towels; two and a half gallons of ice cream, two bushels of wheat and four quarts of paint

At the last meeting of the hospital auxiliary Mrs Winebrenner had reported cash amounting to more than $150 was received during the food solicitations.

BASKET FUND TOTAL IS $274; $900 REQUIRED

Cash contributions totaling $87 were announced today at the headquarters of the Christmas Basket committee in the lobby of the Hotel Gettysburg Mrs George W Boehner, secretary

Today's list is headed by a $25 check from a non-resident of Gettysburg ' $24 from the Gettysburg furniture factories and additional donations of money as follows $5 from M C Jones, Mr and Mrs H B Bender, Dr and Mrs Frank Kramer, $3 from Mr and Mrs Irving Bierer, L D Shealer Mr and Mrs George A Miller Richard Paul Roy and anonymous, $2 from H T McElroy, $1 from Mr and Mrs Richard Codori Mr and Mrs Milton R Remmel Charles B Tate, Penrose Myers and anonymous and 50 cents from Miss Martha Dickson and anonymous

Today's donations with those previously announced, reveal a total of $274 contributed to the $900 fund estimated as necessary to provide a Christmas dinner for every needy family in Adams county

An appeal was made by the committee today to all residents of Gettysburg and Adams county to donate to the fund, regardless of how small or large the amount We will make every penny count and we will do our utmost to provide as good a dinner as we possibly can for every needy family in the county," said Colonel Lestet L Lampert general chairman Those planning to give to the fund are urged to notify headquarters, 'phone 600, so that we will know how much money we will have to spend Those who cannot afford to send in their donations until the end of the week are asked to notify our offices of the amount of their pledge as soon as possible, said Colonel Lampert

The general headquarters committee consists of the following

Mrs George W Boehner secretary, Mrs Paul L Roy, Miss Virginia Barton, Mrs Guile W Lefever Mrs Scott Smith, Mrs Harold Cromwell, Mrs James R McConaghie, Miss Dorothy Lee Grimm, Mrs Harry W Culp, Mrs Roy Alexander Mrs Leroy Winebrenner, Mrs R S Saby, Miss Madolyn Culp Mrs Richard Lighter, Mrs Ralph Z Oyler Mrs C Harold Johnson Mrs Ralph D Wickerham, Mrs Franklin Bigham, Mrs Radford Lippy and Mrs Walter Danforth

Food Committee Listed

Mrs Wayne Keet, chairman of the food committee, announced the personnel of her group as follows

Mrs Lila Craig, Mrs Marie Ziegler Mrs E F Strausbaugh Mrs Clyde D Berger Mrs A. A Hughes Mrs I P Dalbey Miss Kate Gilbert Mrs Walter Danforth and the following members of the Soroptimist club Anna Bierer Julia Peters Anna Mumper, Bess Hennig Dorothy Brindle Ellen Tipton Buehler Rosalie Raffensperger Eleanor Griest and Eva Pape

Organizations having lists of needy families are urged to send in their lists at once to the Red Cross office or headquarters of the committee

SEMINARY SPEAKER

The Rev Dr Frederick F Shannon Chicago will speak in the Lutheran Theological seminary chapel here Thursday morning at 11 o clock The speaker is the pastor of Central church, a community church in Chicago which holds services in Orchestra hall

BENEFIT ICE CREAM SALE

The Gettysburg Ice and Storage company will conduct its annual benefit sale Saturday and Sunday it was announced today by C B Dougherty, manager Ten per cent of the proceeds will be turned over to the firemen's Kiddie Christmas party fund

Xmas Party Democratic Women's Club, Friday evening 15th.

Accepts Position in Philadelphia Hospital

Miss Rachel Everhart has accepted a position in the obstetrical department of the Episcopal hospital in Philadelphia, from which institution she recently graduated She will assume her new duties December 15

Miss Everhart is a daughter of Mr and Mrs W C Everhart, Carlisle street

VOTE TO INVITE FARMERS' UNION TO CONVENE HERE

An invitation to the Pennsylvania Farmers Educational and Cooperative union to hold its 1940 state convention here next October was voted at the third annual convention of the Adams county unit of the state organization held here Tuesday afternoon and evening

The invitation will be placed before the state officers at their January meeting in Hamburg

Harvey Walker of the New Oxford local, was re-elected president of the county unit during the convention business session He and these other officers were installed by the Rev C M Mitzell Shrewsbury York county a state vice president Vice president C J Klimmel New Oxford, secretary-treasurer, M L E Gobrecht, Union township and directors Eugene Hilker Union township local, Glenn Stump New Chester local Paul Moul New Oxford W C Sanders, Round Top local, and Paul Shultz New Oxford, educational director W A Mahone, Oxford township junior leader, Mrs Walker, and assistant junior leader Mrs Paul Moul

During the evening session there were talks by Mrs Edna Gladfelter Snyder Seven Valleys state junior leader S R Nissley East Petersburg a member of the state board of directors, and J G Eddy, Strasburg local Lancaster county The latter read a pamphlet opposing involvement by the United States in a foreign war Truman J Keesey, York, spoke briefly.

Resolutions were adopted listing 'competition, greed, desire for power and imperialistic supremacy as the bases of all wars' and urging the government of this nation to remain neutral in spirit and action Another measure favored government monopoly of all armament and munition plants and called for "the mobilization of peace sentiment"

The convention adopted the report of its cooperative committee re-asserting the organization's faith in the cooperative movement "as a dependable method of gaining farm relief' and urged the spread of the cooperative unions

There was special music during the evening by boys and girls from Hanover

Ex-Countian, Hurt In Auto Mishap, Dies

Harry Bleighner died last Sunday afternoon in Lakewood General hospital Lakewood New Jersey from the effects of injuries received in an auto accident a few days before

He was born in Oxford township and resided there for a number of years He was a son of the late Francis and Elizabeth Bleighner

He is survived by two sons William of Philadelphia and Carl of New Oxford and one sister Mrs Annie Gioff of York

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 9 o clock in St Teresas church Runnemede New Jersey

LISTS VITAL STATISTICS

J Herbert Weikert, register of vital statistics for Gettysburg and four nearby townships listed 27 births and 14 deaths during the month of November Twenty two of the births and 10 of the deaths occurred in Gettysburg There was one birth and two deaths in Cumberland township and four births and two deaths in Straban Neither births or deaths were reported from Freedom and Highland townships

SEA BATTLE IS NOT CONFIRMED

Buenos Aires Dec 13 (AP)—British naval officials said today they were investigating reports that the 7 030-ton British cruiser Achilles had been sunk in a battle with Germany's 10 000-ton pocket battleship Admiral Scheer but had been unable to obtain any direct information

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WOMEN'S UNIT TO RAISE $2500 AS ITS SHARE OF CHAPEL FUND

At a well-attended meeting of the Gettysburg branch of the Women's League of Gettysburg college on Tuesday afternoon, plans were made for a campaign to raise $2,500, the local unit's share in the cost of the $200 000 chapel to be erected at the college Mrs Dunning Idle, president of the Gettysburg league, presided over the meeting which was held in the Sunday school rooms of Christ Lutheran church

Dr Henry W A Hanson, college president, described the proposed building to be placed near the geographical center of the campus He revealed that approximately $75,000, nearly half of it in cash already, is on hand for the new building Donations to date range from 50 cents to $30 000 he said

Reviewing the building program at the college during the 17 years of his administration Doctor Hanson said he had seen the erection of the Plank Memorial gymnasium, the science hall the library, the construction of the new athletic field and the enlargement of the campus. He saw as the supreme climax" of that program the erection of a house of God dedicated to the purpose of showing to the students and the world the place religion has in education at Gettysburg college '

Cornerstone From Holy Land

Unless war complications prevent, he disclosed the cornerstone will be brought from the Holy Land, wood from the cedars of Lebanon and some material from every land in which there is an alumnus of the college to enter into the structure of the chapel

As she presented Doctor Hanson to the league members Mrs Idle read the special aim of the general league adopted at its annual convention in November which calls for the gathering of 25 000 names at $1 each to be inscribed on a parchment and placed in the cornerstone of the new chapel The local league's quota of that sum is $2,500.

During the business session which followed the college president's ad-

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CLUB RE-ELECTS MARY RAMER

Miss Mary Ramer was re-elected president of the Soroptimist club of Gettysburg at the organization's December business meeting held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Bess Hennig, York street. There were 15 members present

Miss Ramer was elected as the club's first president when it was organized about a year ago The other officers named on Tuesday evening follow First vice president, Mrs Ellen Tipton Buehler, second vice president, Miss Julia Peters; recording secretary, Mrs Harvey Raffensperger re-elected, corresponding secretary, Mrs Henrietta Blocher and treasurer, Mrs John Pape Mrs Anna Bierer was elected as a trustee for a three-year term.

Plans were made for a joint installation of the new officers of the Gettysburg York and Harrisburg clubs at Harrisburg on January 16. The installation will take the place of the monthly dinner meeting of the local club for January

The club will hold a Christmas party on December 26 at a place not yet selected The retiring officers will be in charge of the arrangements

The Soroptimists voted a $5 donation to the Christmas Basket committee and offered to help in the preparation and distribution of the baskets of food at Christmas time.

Martha Sayre of Burlington county New Jersey a leader in Soroptimist work in the North Atlantic region spoke

The next business meeting will be held January 9 at the studio of Miss Ann Mumper

Musical Program Given in Assembly

A musical program was presented during the assembly period this morning at Gettysburg high school under the direction of J Guy Wolf, teacher of commercial subjects

The program included the following Readings by Sarah Jane Maust and Olga King, guitar and harmonica duet, Edwin and John Shoop, violin and trombone trio, Grace and Mary Louise Spangler and William Keefauver and banjo selections, Thomas Adams.

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College Debaters To Meet Colgate

The Gettysburg college debate team will open its home schedule on Thursday evening when it opposes the Colgate university team in the Student Christian association building at 7 o'clock.

The question will be, "Resolved: That United States should maintain a strict policy of military and economic isolation." The judges will be from Mt. St. Mary's college at Emmitsburg. Dr. Thomas L. Cline, coach of the college team, will preside.

Gettysburg will debate the negative side of the question and will be represented by Gerst Buyer and Kent Gilbert.

Two members of the team—George Barrett and George Hanawalt—argued the affirmative side of the question at Bucknell university this afternoon.

Joe Dice is manager of the college debaters and Robert Rhoads is publicity manager.

The public is invited to Thursday's debate.

PAST GRANDS TO ELECT

The one hundredth meeting of the Adams County Past Grand association of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows will be held at York Springs on Thursday evening. The meeting will mark the tenth anniversary of the institution of the organization and will be conducted by J. D. Sheely, Littlestown, the retiring president. Officers for the next year will be nominated and elected on Thursday evening.

Books for Gifts—our stock now most complete, select yours now—Sweetland.

Hit in Face by Brick as Brother Topples Chimney

"That chimney ought to be fixed," William Dayhoff, 76, Littlestown R. 2, told his brother, Earl, the other day. "Someday it will fall and hurt somebody," he added.

So this morning about 8 o'clock, Earl, who also lives near Littlestown, decided to push over the loose chimney of the old springhouse at his farm. William looked on from the other side of the building.

The bricks came down—and one of them hit William in the face.

He was treated by Dr. H. S. Crouse, Littlestown, and brought to the Warner hospital where he received treatment for a compound fracture of his nose, a fracture of a face bone near his left eye and a severe gash under that eye. He returned home later this morning.

APPLY FOR LICENSE

Clair Frederick Fiscel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin D. Fiscel, Gettysburg R. 1, and Miss Glenna Sarah Kime, Gettysburg, have filed an application here for a marriage license.

700 RUSSIANS ARE MISSING IN STEAMER WRECK

Wakkanai, Hokkaido, Japan, Dec. 13 (AP)—More than 700 Russians, including women and children, were missing today and believed drowned or frozen to death in the wreck of the Russian steamer Indigirka on the treacherous coast of Hokkaido.

The Japanese ship Karafuto Maru arrived here with 395 survivors from the crowded Russian fishing service vessel which went aground in a blizzard Tuesday on the east coast of Hokkaido, northernmost of the main Japanese islands.

Survivors, most of whom were suffering from exposure, said the ship carried 700 fishermen, many accompanied by wives and children, and a crew of 39.

(The scene of the wreck is on one route between fishing stations on the Kamchatka peninsula and Vladivostock.)

THIEF WRECKS CAR AND FLEES

State motor police here are seeking the man who first stole auto switch keys from the home of Mrs. H. L. Walter, Gettysburg R. 3, near Mummasburg, and then removed her daughter's car from the garage, Tuesday evening.

The car was found damaged later in the evening at the intersection of the Table Rock-Schriver's Crossroads road and the Goldenville road. The thief apparently had rolled the car over on its left side as he attempted to turn toward Goldenville from the Table Rock road.

Witnesses of the accident said a man crawled from the over-turned car and fled across a field disregarding their orders to halt. The car, owned by Mrs. Caroline Ruth Smelser, Main street, Arendtsville, was considerably damaged.

Officer C. W Hamberger, of the Gettysburg detail of the motor police, who investigated, said that a son of Mrs. Walter was at home alone and that the keys apparently had been taken from the unlocked house after he retired. His mother and sister had gone to Gettysburg.

Two Marines Here For Recruiting Duty

Staff Sergeants G. A. Newhouse and J. P. Collins from the Marine Barracks, Navy Yard, Philadelphia, were on duty today at the Gettysburg post office as recruiting officers. They will continue there Thursday and Friday from 8:30 a. m. until 4 p. m. each day

The age limits for the recruits are 18 and 30 years. Men accepted here will be sent to the barracks at the Philadelphia Navy Yard for a final examination and then if they are accepted they will be sent to Parris Island, South Carolina, for a 29-day training period in a recruit camp. After that time they will be eligible for assignments to Marine posts.

Hospital Report

Sterling Starner, Gardners R. 2, an employe of Foth and Gulden company, Aspers, was X-rayed at the Warner hospital this morning for an injury to his right ankle.

Mrs. Edward Welch, Aspers, and Betty Jane Smith, West High street, have been admitted as patients to the hospital. Those discharged were Mrs. George Myers, Fairfield, and Riley Humbert, Littlestown.

Cheap Xmas trees 25c, 50c and $1.00. Swifty's, 131 York street. Free delivery.

Non-Resident Gives $25 for Xmas Baskets

A "non-resident of Gettysburg" today donated $25 to the Christmas Basket committee to help provide Christmas dinners for every needy family in Adams county.

The spirit which prompted the large contribution reveals the generous qualities of the individual who said:

"I do not want my name mentioned in connection with this donation. I always try to do something for unfortunate families, especially during the Christmas season. I like the way Gettysburg citizens are handling the Christmas basket idea this year and I want to help the cause. I think the committee is doing a splendid thing. Although I am not a resident of Gettysburg I consider it a privilege to donate to this worthy effort."

RELIEF BOARD ENDORSES PLAN TO HELP NEEDY

Members of the Adams County Board of Public Assistance who already have supplied long lists of families that would appreciate a basket of food at Christmas time, formally endorsed at a regular meeting Tuesday afternoon the program of the Christmas Basket committee recently organized here.

"While state and federal funds are used to supply daily needs of families on relief rolls and persons receiving other forms of assistance, there are many homes in the county where Christmas could be no different from other days unless some one supplies gifts," Colonel J. L. Barton, executive director for the board, said this morning.

The board on Tuesday afternoon reviewed three cases in which persons had offered excuses for failing to report for work on W.P.A. or relief-work projects. The reasons for not reporting were held by the board to be not valid and the persons involved were dropped from relief rolls.

The board appointed Robert P. Smith and Mrs. Maude Saby, members, to study the question of legal responsibility of relatives in relief cases. The board studied several cases involving policies on that question. The policies of the state board are based upon the state's support laws, a board spokesman said.

Approval was given on relief-work project No. 8 which provides for the employment of up to four men on upkeep work on Huntington township roads.

Little change was shown in the case loads for any of the forms of assistance rendered by the board during the last month. As of December 2 there were 214 general assistance cases including 717 persons; 394 persons reeciving old age assistance, and 64 cases where aid to dependent children is being distributed to a total of 224 persons including 160 children.

Chairman James B. Aumen presided over the meeting which was attended by Mrs. Saby, Gettysburg; L. W. Kuhn, Bendersville, and Robert P. Smith, McSherrystown.

DEATH

Mrs. John H. Asper

Mrs. Amelia J. Asper, 76, wife of John H. Asper, Dillsburg R. 1, died at her home Tuesday afternoon at 1:10 o'clock from a complication of diseases.

She was a daughter of the late George S. and Mary Ann (Miller) Slothower. The deceased was a member of the Lower Bermudian Lutheran church and the home department of Calvary Lutheran church, Dover.

In addition to her husband she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lottie Altland, Hanover, and Mrs. Minnie Nagle, Lemoyne; one son, Lewis R. Asper, Dillsburg R. 2, and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the L. C. Pitenturf funeral home, York Springs, conducted by the Rev. Lester M. Utz. Interment in Mt. Olivet cemetery adjoining the Lower Bermudian church.

Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

TO OPERATE BAKERY

Mrs. H. S. Spangler, Biglerville, has announced that she will continue to operate the bakery founded and operated by her late husband. Mr. Spangler died last Friday morning from a heart attack.

INDIAN GUIDE SPEAKS AT "Y" MEETING HERE

The annual Adams county Y. M. C. A. meeting was held Tuesday evening in Hill's coffee shop, Chambersburg street, with delegations from Biglerville, Fairfield, Littlestown and East Berlin, as well as Gettysburg residents, in attendance.

Dr. Henry W. A. Hanson, president of Gettysburg college, a member of the state committee of the "Y," was present and spoke and acted as toastmaster.

Herbert Stroup, student president of College Y. M. C. A., was present and spoke on the religious attitude of college students in America which he stated has greatly changed the last few years. In fact, he said, only two per cent do not believe in God.

Dean Carey, president of the Hi-Y club at Biglerville high school, made a report of their work which last season enrolled more than a hundred boys and girls in Bible study. The club, he said, had helped school spirit and better sportsmanship.

Prof. Paul King had charge of the delegation from Littlestown interested in the Hi-Y movement. Charles E. Ford, Harrisburg, state boys' work secretary of the Y. M. C. A., reported the progress of boys work in co-operation with schools which had grown so that Pennsylvania leads the nation. He said that six hundred school boys and girls at Chambersburg are members of twelve Y. M. C. A. clubs.

The special guest of the evening was Joe Friday, a full-blooded Indian guide from the Temigani forest reserve in northern Ontario, province of Canada. The boys present were much interested in the stories told by the guide of hunting the giant moose and of fishing in the far northern region. Chief Friday told how the Indians lived in the open and gave the calls of many wild animals of the region. Arrangements have been made for Chief Friday to address the high school assemblies at both Littlestown and Biglerville on December 18.

Services Held for Mrs. Ida Mumper

Funeral services for Mrs. Ida M. Mumper, 72, Baltimore street, who died Monday morning in the Warner hospital from a complication of diseases, were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the H. B. Bender and son funeral home conducted by the Rev. Spencer W. Aungst. Interment in Evergreen cemetery.

The pallbearers were George Black, N. B. Schnurman, C. J. Toot, Norman Storrick, Charles C. Culp and Richard Eisenhart.

SOCIETY TO MEET

The December meeting of the Adams county Crippled Children's society will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the Hotel Eberhart with the president, Dean W .E. Tilberg presiding.

Musselman Company Host To County's Cherry Growers

Approximately 100 Adams county cherry growers and their wives were guests of the C. H. Musselman company, Biglerville, at the annual cherry growers' banquet Tuesday evening in the Bendersville community hall.

H. T. Hartman, Adams county farm agent, presided as toastmaster.

Luther Baltzley, Gettysburg R. D., was awarded a gold watch as the commercial grower with the highest percentage of U. S. No. 1 grade cherries. The award is made only to those who grow large quantities of cherries for commercial use.

Gold watches previously were presented to the following: Daniel Sheely, Cashtown, 1936; A. B. C. Williams, York Springs, 1937, and John Sease, Orrtanna, 1938.

It was reported the crop grown by H. G. Haverstock, owned by the Musselman company, was the best grade commercial crop in the county for 1939 but the grower was ineligible for an award inasmuch as the watch is given annually to a grower outside of the Musselman company organization.

John Ruff, of Penn State college, was the principal speaker. Several cherry trees were placed on the platform in front of the audience and Mr. Ruff used these for demonstrating the proper methods of pruning and advantages to be gained by proper care of trees.

Among other speakers were D. M. Wertz, prominent cherry grower from Waynesboro, and W. N. McClung, Berkeley county farm agent from Martinsburg, West Virginia.

Entertainment was furnished by a group of York entertainers under the direction of William Ketterman.

Property Transfers

David C. Forney sold to Dr. Bruce N. and Dorothy F. Wolff, all of Gettysburg, a two-acre lot along Wadsworth avenue in Cumberland township.

Luther I. Sachs sold to L. A. Gotwald and Ethel E. Gotwald, all of Gettysburg, a lot on Seminary avenue.

Jacob D. McDannell and Minnie Mae McDannell, sold to Melvin H. and Pearl J. Schuyler, all of Franklin township, a lot in Franklin township.

Allen L. and Hazel M. Currens, Hamiltonban township, sold to Harry F. Shindledecker, Gettysburg, a five-acre plot in Hamiltonban township.

Earle R. and Alda F. Myers, sold to D. J. and Frieda K. Wolff, all of Arendtsville, a South High street property in Arendtsville.

BUS HITS TREE IN ROAD; 3 HURT

Three women received injuries when a bus in which they were riding, driven by Glenn Hoke, Biglerville R. D., struck a tree lying across the highway on a curve on the Quaker Valley road just off the Gettysburg-Carlisle highway Tuesday evening about 6 o'clock.

Hoke, who operates a transportation bus for employes at the Knouse corporation, Peach Glen, said he was blinded by lights of an approaching car as he rounded a curve and struck a tree lying partly across the highway. There were 15 persons in the bus returning home from work in addition to the driver.

Mrs. Ray Culp, Biglerville R. 1, sustained a fractured pelvis and Mrs. Alda Knouse, also of Biglerville R. 1, received an injury to her left leg. Both were X-rayed at the Warner hospital this morning. Mrs. Robert Wampler, Biglerville R. D., was treated for minor injuries at the office of Dr. J. L. Boyer, Arendtsville.

Warner Hospital Lists Articles Received From Annual Food Drive

A condensed report of the hundreds of articles gathered for the Warner hospital in the 1939 food drive conducted under the direction of Mrs. T. J. Winebrenner and a large corps of helpers was released today by Miss Sara J. Clark, hospital superintendent.

The report shows that the successful drive brought in more than 500 cans of fruits and vegetables and well over 1,700 quart jars of fruits and vegetables in addition to a long list of other items that ranged from herring to paint, pickles, mustard and chop suey and included large quantities of standard food products.

Miss Clark's report shows 82 cans of fruit and 424 cans of vegetables. There were 994 quart jars of fruit and 734 quart jars of vegetables.

Variety of Gifts

The variety and abundance of the gifts is indicated by this list of donations from countians appreciative of the services rendered by the hospital:

Fifty-eight and a half bushels of apples; two quarts of apple butter; two quarts of apple sauce; a half peck of crabapples; 1¼ bushels of dried apples; 1¾ bushels of string beans; 13 pounds of beans; 17 cans of baked beans; six quarts of green lima beans; 5¼ bushels of beets; 14 pounds of cocoa; three cantaloupes; four cans of chocolate syrup; 36 heads of cabbage; 1½ bushels of carrots; a can of cleanser; six cans of cranberry sauce; 11 boxes of cornstarch; 16 pounds of coffee; 51 boxes of cereal; five bottles of catsup; five pounds of cornmeal; three pounds of dried corn; 10 packages of chocolate; a bushel of cracked corn; four bushels of corn; two bunches of swiss chard; a can of chop suey and 10 cucumbers.

Forty packages of dessert; 36 eggs; 12 egg plants; 242 pounds of flour; a can of herring; six boxes of pancake flour; two quarts of hominy; quarter peck of hickory nuts; 669 glasses of jelly; 29 cans and bottles of all kinds of fruit juices; 17 bottles of flavoring extract; 22 packages of jello; 12 heads of Chinese lettuce; 19 cans of milk; one jar of mayonnaise; nine packages of macaroni and noodles; six watermelons; a quart of mustard; 1½ bushels of onions; six cans of pop corn; 119 pumpkins; seven pounds of prunes; 17 quarts of pickles; 1½ bushels of pears; 19 oranges and 13¾ bushels of potatoes.

Cash Also Received

Three and one-quarter bushels of peppers; 3½ bushels of peaches; 31 pounds of rice; three pecks of radishes; a bushel of rhubarb; one box of raisins; 25 cans of soup; two cans of spaghetti; three cans of sauer kraut; 138 pounds of sugar; seven and a half bushels of sweet potatoes; 11 boxes of sale; eight cans of syrup; 108 cakes of soap; three boxes of soap flakes; a box of soda; seven cans of salmon; 35 squashes; a pound of starch, and three bushels of tomatoes.

Three and three-quarter bushels of turnips; 81 cans and jars of tomato juice; nine boxes of tapioca; eight pounds of tea; a peck of quinces; five packages of paper towels; two and a half gallons of ice cream; two bushels of wheat and four quarts of paint.

At the last meeting of the hospital auxiliary Mrs. Winebrenner had reported cash amounting to more than $150 was received during the food solicitations.

BASKET FUND TOTAL IS $274; $900 REQUIRED

Cash contributions totaling $87 were announced today at the headquarters of the Christmas Basket committee in the lobby of the Hotel Gettysburg, Mrs. George W. Boehner, secretary.

Today's list is headed by a $25 check from a "non-resident of Gettysburg," $24 from the Gettysburg furniture factories and additional donations of money as follows: $5 from M. C. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bender, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Kramer; $3 from Mr. and Mrs. Irving Bierer, L. D. Shealer, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Miller, Richard Paul Roy and anonymous; $2 from H. T. McElroy; $1 from Mr. and Mrs. Richard Codori, Mr. and Mrs. Milton R. Remmel, Charles B. Tate, Penrose Myers and anonymous and 50 cents from Miss Martha Dickson and anonymous.

Today's donations with those previously announced, reveal a total of $274 contributed to the $900 fund estimated as necessary to provide a Christmas dinner for every needy family in Adams county.

An appeal was made by the committee today to all residents of Gettysburg and Adams county to donate to the fund, regardless of how small or large the amount. "We will make every penny count and we will do our utmost to provide as good a dinner as we possibly can for every needy family in the county," said Colonel Lester L. Lampert, general chairman. "Those planning to give to the fund are urged to notify headquarters, 'phone 600, so that we will know how much money we will have to spend. Those who cannot afford to send in their donations until the end of the week are asked to notify our offices of the amount of their pledge as soon as possible," said Colonel Lampert.

The general headquarters committee consists of the following:

Mrs. George W. Boehner, secretary; Mrs. Paul L. Roy, Miss Virginia Barton, Mrs. Guile W. Lefever, Mrs. Scott Smith, Mrs. Harold Cromwell, Mrs. James R. McConaghie, Miss Dorothy Lee Grimm, Mrs. Harry W. Culp, Mrs. Roy Alexander, Mrs. Leroy Winebrenner, Mrs. R. S. Saby, Miss Madolyn Culp, Mrs. Richard Lighter, Mrs. Ralph Z. Oyler, Mrs. C. Harold Johnson, Mrs. Ralph D. Wickerham, Mrs. Franklin Bigham, Mrs. Radford Lippy and Mrs. Walter Danforth.

Food Committee Listed

Mrs. Wayne Keet, chairman of the food committee, announced the personnel of her group as follows:

Mrs. Lila Craig, Mrs. Marie Ziegler, Mrs. E. F. Strausbaugh, Mrs. Clyde D. Berger, Mrs. A. A. Hughes, Mrs. J. P. Dalbey, Miss Kate Gilbert, Mrs. Walter Danforth and the following members of the Soroptimist club: Anna Bierer, Julia Peters, Anna Mumper, Bess Hennig, Dorothy Brindle, Ellen Tipton Buehler, Rosalie Raffensperger, Eleanor Griest and Eva Pape.

Organizations having lists of needy families are urged to send in their lists at once to the Red Cross office or headquarters of the committee.

SEMINARY SPEAKER

The Rev. Dr. Frederick F. Shannon, Chicago, will speak in the Lutheran Theological seminary chapel here Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. The speaker is the pastor of Central church, a community church in Chicago which holds services in Orchestra hall.

BENEFIT ICE CREAM SALE

The Gettysburg Ice and Storage company will conduct its annual benefit sale Saturday and Sunday, it was announced today by C. B. Dougherty, manager. Ten per cent of the proceeds will be turned over to the firemen's Kiddie Christmas party fund.

Xmas Party Democratic Women's Club, Friday evening 15th.

Accepts Position in Philadelphia Hospital

Miss Rachel Everhart has accepted a position in the obstetrical department of the Episcopal hospital in Philadelphia, from which institution she recently graduated. She will assume her new duties December 15.

Miss Everhart is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Everhart, Carlisle street.

VOTE TO INVITE FARMERS' UNION TO CONVENE HERE

An invitation to the Pennsylvania Farmers Educational and Cooperative union to hold its 1940 state convention here next October was voted at the third annual convention of the Adams county unit of the state organization held here Tuesday afternoon and evening.

The invitation will be placed before the state officers at their January meeting in Hamburg.

Harvey Walker, of the New Oxford local, was re-elected president of the county unit during the convention business session. He and these other officers were installed by the Rev. C. M. Mitzell, Shrewsbury, York county, a state vice president: Vice president, C. J. Kimmel, New Oxford; secretary-treasurer, M. L. E. Gobrecht, Union township, and directors, Eugene Hilker, Union township local; Glenn Stump, New Chester local; Paul Moul, New Oxford; W. C. Sanders, Round Top local, and Paul Shultz, New Oxford; educational director, W. A. Mahone, Oxford township; junior leader, Mrs. Walker, and assistant junior leader, Mrs. Paul Moul.

During the evening session there were talks by Mrs. Edna Gladfelter Snyder, Seven Valleys, state junior leader; S. R. Nissley, East Petersburg, a member of the state board of directors, and J. G. Eddy, Strasburg local, Lancaster county. The latter read a pamphlet opposing involvement by the United States in a foreign war. Truman J. Keesey, York, spoke briefly.

Resolutions were adopted listing "competition, greed, desire for power and imperialistic supremacy as the bases of all wars" and urging the government of this nation to remain neutral in spirit and action. Another measure favored government monopoly of all armament and munition plants and called for "the mobilization of peace sentiment."

The convention adopted the report of its cooperative committee re-asserting the organization's faith in the cooperative movement "as a dependable method of gaining farm relief" and urged the spread of the cooperative unions.

There was special music during the evening by boys and girls from Hanover.

Ex-Countian, Hurt In Auto Mishap, Dies

Harry Breighner died last Sunday afternoon in Lakewood General hospital, Lakewood, New Jersey, from the effects of injuries received in an auto accident a few days before.

He was born in Oxford township and resided there for a number of years. He was a son of the late Francis and Elizabeth Breighner.

He is survived by two sons, William, of Philadelphia, and Carl, of New Oxford, and one sister, Mrs. Annie Groft, of York.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock in St. Teresa's church, Runnemede, New Jersey.

LISTS VITAL STATISTICS

J. Herbert Weikert, register of vital statistics for Gettysburg and four nearby townships, listed 27 births and 14 deaths during the month of November. Twenty-two of the births and 10 of the deaths occurred in Gettysburg. There was one birth and two deaths in Cumberland township and four births and two deaths in Straban. Neither births or deaths were reported from Freedom and Highland townships.

SEA BATTLE IS NOT CONFIRMED

Buenos Aires, Dec. 13 (AP).—British naval officials said today they were investigating reports that the 7,030-ton British cruiser Achilles had been sunk in a battle with Germany's 10,000-ton pocket battleship Admiral Scheer but had been unable to obtain any direct information.

Montevideo, Uruguay, Dec. 13 (AP).—British, German and Uruguayan officials here said today that they had no information concerning reports of a battle between the German pocket battleship Admiral Scheer and the British cruiser Achilles off the Uruguayan coast.

WOMEN'S UNIT TO RAISE $2500 AS ITS SHARE OF CHAPEL FUND

At a well-attended meeting of the Gettysburg branch of the Women's League of Gettysburg college on Tuesday afternoon, plans were made for a campaign to raise $2,500, the local unit's share in the cost of the $200,000 chapel to be erected at the college. Mrs. Dunning Idle, president of the Gettysburg league, presided over the meeting which was held in the Sunday school rooms of Christ Lutheran church.

Dr. Henry W. A. Hanson, college president, described the proposed building to be placed near the geographical center of the campus. He revealed that approximately $75,000, nearly half of it in cash, already, is on hand for the new building. Donations to date range from 50 cents to $30,000, he said.

Reviewing the building program at the college during the 17 years of his administration, Doctor Hanson said he had seen the erection of the Plank Memorial gymnasium, the science hall, the library, the construction of the new athletic field and the enlargement of the campus. He saw as the "supreme climax" of that program the erection of a "house of God dedicated to the purpose of showing to the students and the world the place religion has in education at Gettysburg college."

Cornerstone From Holy Land

Unless war complications prevent, he disclosed, the cornerstone will be brought from the Holy Land, wood from the cedars of Lebanon and some material from every land in which there is an alumnus of the college to enter into the structure of the chapel.

As she presented Doctor Hanson to the league members, Mrs. Idle read the special aim of the general league, adopted at its annual convention in November, which calls for the gathering of 25,000 names at $1 each to be inscribed on a parchment and placed in the cornerstone of the new chapel. The local league's quota of that sum is $2,500.

During the business session which followed the college president's ad-

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CLUB RE-ELECTS MARY RAMER

Miss Mary Ramer was re-elected president of the Soroptimist club of Gettysburg at the organization's December business meeting held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Bess Hennig, York street. There were 15 members present.

Miss Ramer was elected as the club's first president when it was organized about a year ago. The other officers named on Tuesday evening follow: First vice president, Mrs. Ellen Tipton Buehler; second vice president, Miss Julia Peters; recording secretary, Mrs. Harvey Raffensperger, re-elected; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Henrietta Blocher, and treasurer, Mrs. John Pape. Mrs. Anna Bierer was elected as a trustee for a three-year term.

Plans were made for a joint installation of the new officers of the Gettysburg, York and Harrisburg clubs at Harrisburg on January 16. The installation will take the place of the monthly dinner meeting of the local club for January.

The club will hold a Christmas party on December 26 at a place not yet selected. The retiring officers will be in charge of the arrangements.

The Soroptimists voted a $5 donation to the Christmas Basket committee and offered to help in the preparation and distribution of the baskets of food at Christmas time.

Martha Sayre, of Burlington county, New Jersey, a leader in Soroptimst work in the North Atlantic region, spoke.

The next business meeting will be held January 9 at the studio of Miss Ann Mumper.

Musical Program Given in Assembly

A musical program was presented during the assembly period this morning at Gettysburg high school under the direction of J. Guy Wolf, teacher of commercial subjects.

The program included the following: Readings by Sarah Jane Maust and Olga King; guitar and harmonica duet, Edwin and John Shoop; violin and trombone trio, Grace and Mary Louise Spangler and William Keefauver, and banjo selections, Thomas Adams.

OFFICER ON VACATION

Private Ray E. Oberheim of the Gettysburg detail of the state motor police left today to spend a seven-day vacation at Lock Haven.

"The Rains Came," $1.00; "Thaddeus Stevens"—98c—Sweetland.

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5:30—"Jack Armstrong"
5:45—"Little Orphan Annie"
6:00—Spanish Revue
6:15—News; Jack Miley
6:30—Child's orchestra
6:45—"Li'l Abner"
7:00—Waring's orchestra
7:15—"I Love a Mystery"
7:30—Echoes of New York
8:00—Green's orchestra
8:30—Heidt's orchestra
9:00—Crumit and Sanderson
9:30—Fibber McGee
10:00—Bob Hope's Variety
10:30—Dog House
11:00—News
11:15—Herbeck's orchestra
11:30—Christmas Music

WOR—NEWARK—422 M.; 710 KC.
4:00—News
4:15—Mischa Borr Ensemble
4:45—"Career of Alice Blair"
5:00—Meet Miss Julia
5:15—Tucker's orchestra
5:30—Kuhn's orchestra
6:00—Uncle Don
6:30—News
6:45—The Johnson Family
7:00—Sports
7:15—Rodie Harris
7:30—Dr. Frank Kingdon
7:45—Sports
8:00—Antonini Concert
8:30—Gould's orchestra
9:00—Commentary
9:15—Clinton's orchestra
9:30—Mozart Concert
10:00—Raymond G. Swing
10:15—Fulton Lewis, jr., talk
10:30—Mammoth Minstrels
11:00—Weather; News
11:15—Rollini Trio
11:30—Bernie's orchestra

WOR—WOR—[illegible]
4:00—Club Matinee
5:00—Clinton's orch.
5:30—Affairs of Anthony
5:45—"Tom Mix"
6:00—News; Dinner Date
6:15—Talk
6:30—McGee's orchestra
6:45—Lowell Thomas
7:00—Easy Aces
7:15—Lost Persons
7:30—Musicreators
8:00—Aldrich Family
8:30—Information, Please
9:00—Little Ol' Hollywood
9:30—Meet Mr. Weeks
10:00—Shield's orchestra
10:30—"Brent House"
11:00—News; Lunceford's orch.
11:30—Breeze's orchestra

WABC—NEW YORK—[illegible] M.; [illegible] KC
4:00—Cleveland Institute of Music
4:30—Of Men and Books
4:45—Ed McConnell, songs
5:00—"By Kathleen Norris"
5:15—Billy and Betty
5:30—Hollywood Talk
5:45—"Scattergood Baines"
6:00—Talk; E. C. Hill
6:15—W. D. Feller
6:30—H. V. Kaltenborn
6:45—European News
7:00—Amos 'n' Andy
7:15—Jimmy Fidler
7:30—Helen Menken
8:00—Dramatization
8:30—Walter O'Keefe
9:00—We, the People
9:30—Crosby's orchestra
10:00—Marcella Denys, songs
10:30—Johns Hopkins alumni dinner
11:00—News
11:15—Ayres' orchestra
11:30—Whiteman's orchestra

WEDNESDAY

WEAF—NEW YORK—454 M.; 660 KC.
8:00 A. M.—Do You Remember?
8:30—Gene and Glenn
9:00—News; Happy Jack
9:15—Dorothy Rochelle, songs
9:30—The Family Man
9:45—Life Can Be Beautiful
10:00—The Man I Married
10:15—"John's Other Wife"
10:30—Just Plain Bill
10:45—"The Woman in White"
11:00—Sketch, "David Harum"
11:15—"Road of Life"
11:30—"Against the Storm"
11:45—"The Guiding Light"
12:00 N.—"Careers of Elm St."
12:15 P. M.—"The O'Neills"
12:30—W. H. Foulkes
12:45—News; Markets
1:00—Piano recital
1:15—"Ellen Randolph"
1:30—Words and Music
2:00—Betty and Bob
2:15—Grimm's Daughter
2:30—Valiant Lady
2:45—Betty Crocker
3:00—Story of Mary Marlin
3:15—"Ma Perkins"
3:30—Pepper Young's Family
3:45—Vic and Sade
4:00—"Backstage Wife"
4:15—Sketch; "Stella Dallas"
4:30—"Lorenzo Jones"
4:45—"Young Widder Brown"
5:00—"Girl Alone"
5:15—Sketch
5:30—Armstrong's orchestra
5:45—Little Orphan Annie
6:00—Lutheran Laymen Singers
6:15—News
6:30—Stamp club
6:45—"Li'l Abner"
7:00—Waring's orchestra
7:15—"I Love a Mystery"
7:30—Reveler's quartet
7:45—Bob Howard, songs
8:00—Playhouse
8:30—Red Skelton, comedy
9:00—Fred Allen
10:00—Kay Kyser's college
11:00—News
11:15—Waring's orchestra
11:30—Chicago opera

WOR—NEWARK—422 M.; 710 KC.
8:00 A. M.—Talk
8:15—Beauty Talk
8:30—Sketch
8:45—The Goldbergs
9:00—Arthur Godfrey, talk
9:15—Betty and Buddy
9:30—Between Ourselves
9:45—Talks; Music
10:00—Food Talks
11:00—Fegeen Fitzgerald, talk
11:15—Syncopators
11:30—Keep Fit To Music
11:45—Rutgers' Forum
12:00 N.—Talk
12:30 P. M.—News
12:45—Consumers' quiz
1:00—Talks; Music
1:15—Alan Courtney, talk
1:30—Ohio Schools
1:45—Voice of Experience
2:00—Hollywood Reporter
2:15—Ed Fitzgerald, talk
2:30—Freadberg's orchestra
2:45—"David Harum"
3:00—Women's Hour
3:45—"Heart of Julia Blake"
4:00—News
4:15—Micha Borr Ensemble
4:45—Career of Alice Blair
5:00—Meet Miss Julia
5:15—Kuhn's orchestra
5:45—Sketch
6:00—Uncle Don
6:30—News
6:45—Johnson Family
7:00—Stan Lomax
7:15—The Answer Man
7:30—Lone Ranger
8:00—Clinton's orchestra
8:30—Adventures of Sherlock Holmes
9:00—Gabriel Heater
9:15—Paul Schubert, talk
9:30—Faith's Music
10:00—R. C. Swing
10:15—Sketch
10:30—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
10:45—Christmas Parade
11:00—News, weather
11:15—Tucker's orchestra
11:30—Hayton's orchestra

WJZ—NEW YORK—695 M.; 760 KC.
8:00—A. M.—Earbenders
8:15—The Wife Saver
8:30—Vocal Vogues
8:45—Harvey and Dell
9:00—News; Woman of Tomorrow
9:30—Breakfast club
10:00—Thunder Over Paradise
10:15—Right to Happiness
10:30—Story of Mary Marlin
10:45—"Midstream"
11:00—Pepper Young's Family
11:15—"Young Dr. Malone"
11:30—Jack Berch's Boys
11:45—Dr. W. L. Stidger
12:00 N.—Eugene Conley, tenor
12:15—Rakov's orchestra
12:30—Farm and Home hour
1:15—Virginia Hays, songs
1:30—Martin's orchestra
2:00—Mary Van Doren, songs
2:15—Echoes of History
2:30—Favorite Waltzes
3:00—Orphans of Divorce
3:15—Chase Twins
3:30—"Career Wife"
3:45—Between Bookends
4:00—Club Matinee
5:00—Childs' orchestra
5:30—"Affairs of Anthony"
5:45—"Tom Mix"
6:00—News; Barron's orchestra
6:30—Serenaders
6:45—Lowell Thomas
7:00—Easy Aces
7:15—Lost Persons
7:30—Barron's orchestra
8:00—Breezing Along
8:30—Quiz
9:00—Radio Guild
9:30—Horse and Buggy Days
10:00—Shield's orchestra
10:30—Photography Drama
11:00—Kinney's orchestra
11:30—Olsen's orchestra

WABC—NEW YORK—349 M.; 860 KC.
8:00 A. M.—European News
8:15—Talk; Music
8:30—Phil Cook's almanac
8:45—Village Chapel
9:00—Manhattan Mother
9:15—School of the Air
9:45—Bachelor's Children
10:00—Pretty Kitty Kelly
10:15—Myrt and Marge
10:30—"Hilltop House"
10:45—Stepmother
11:00—News; Lanny Ross
11:15—"Brenda Curtis"
11:30—"Big Sister"
11:45—Aunt Jenny's Stories
12:00—Kate Smith, talk
12:15—"When a Girl Marries"
12:30—Helen Trent's Romance
12:45—Our Gal Sunday
1:00—The Goldbergs
1:15—Life Can Be Beautiful
1:30—This Day is Ours
1:45—Road of Life
2:00—"Barclay's Daughters"
2:15—"Dr. Susan"
2:30—Your Family and Mine
2:45—"My Son and I"
3:00—"Girl Interne"
3:15—Sketch
3:30—News; "Jonathan"
3:45—Richard Maxwell
4:00—Bernard's Minstrels
4:30—Health Talk
4:45—Ed McConnell, songs
5:00—"By Kathleen Norris"
5:15—Billy and Betty
5:30—In Hollywood
5:45—"Scattergood Baines"
6:00—Edwin C. Hill
6:15—Hedda Hopper
6:30—News, Elmer Davis
6:45—European News
7:00—Amos 'n' Andy
7:15—Lum and Abner
7:30—Burns and Allen
8:00—Penrod's Gang
8:30—Whiteman's orchestra
9:00—Radio Theater
10:00—Jean Hersholt
10:30—Indianapolis orchestra
11:00—News
11:15—Norvo's orchestra
11:30—Goodman's orchestra

PIGS GO TO TOWN

Bloomsburg, Pa., Dec. 12 (AP) — Farmer David Leighow, of nearby Catawissa, was mystified for weeks by the failure of a Holstein cow to give milk. He investigated and found seven young pigs running in the same field had taken a fancy to Holstein milk.

HIDE AND SEEK

Osceola Mills, Pa., Dec. 12 (AP) — Playing hide and seek with a thief is the experience of garage mechanic Harrison Raling. He first located his stolen automobile in a field Monday but had to go back to the garage for a key. The car was missing again when he returned. Carrying the extra key, Raling later discovered the machine near Curwensville.

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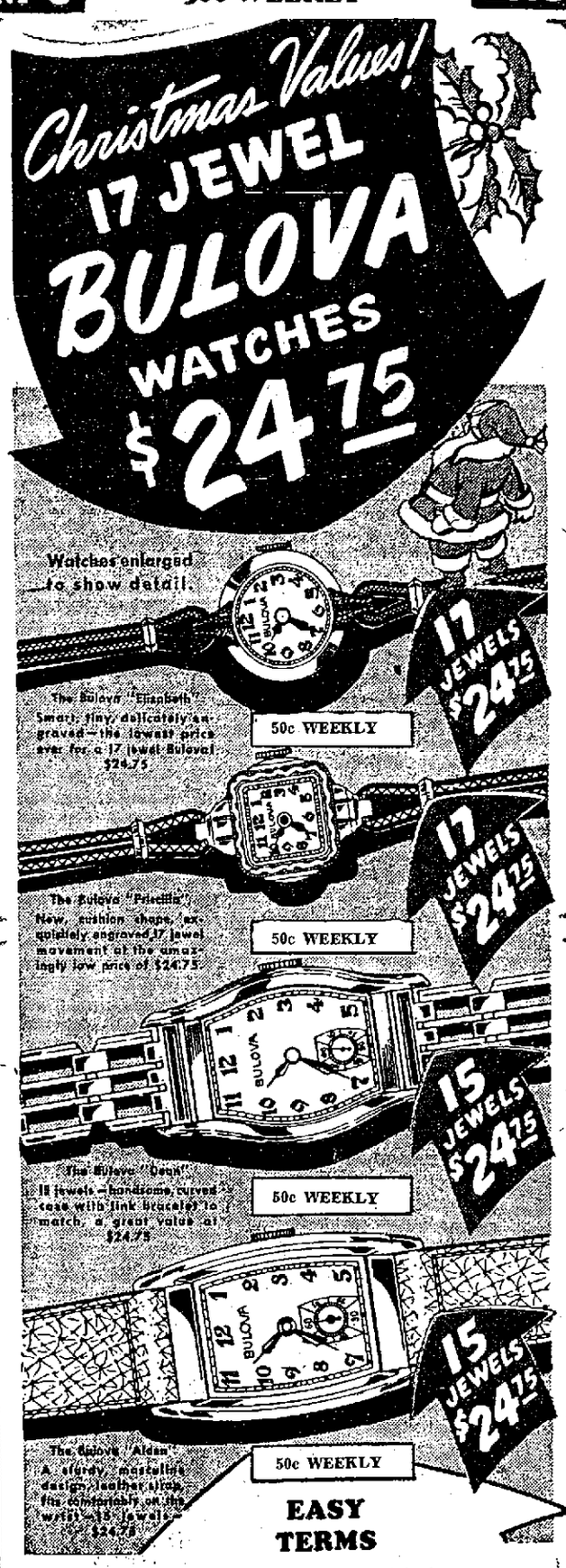

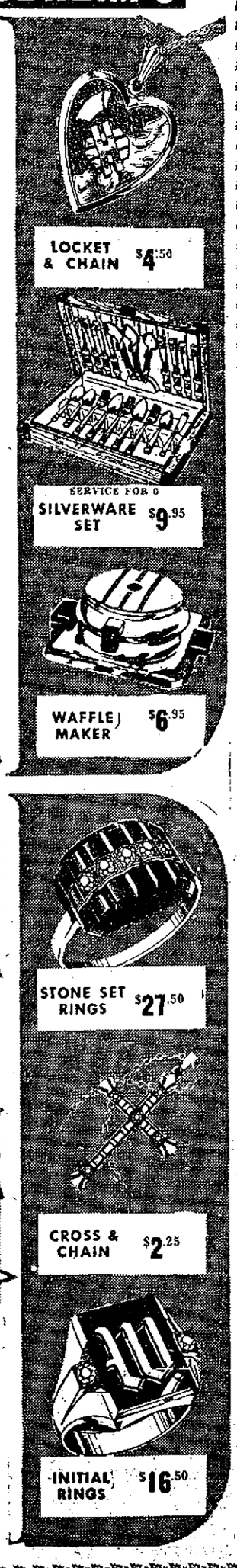

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WOMEN'S UNIT TO RAISE $2500 AS ITS SHARE OF CHAPEL FUND

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dress Mrs. Idle revealed plans for the raising of that sum by the Gettysburg branch. Present plans call for the formation of 15 groups each charged with securing its share of the names.

10 Members Added

Mrs. Frank Kramer has been placed in general charge of the campaign to raise the $2,500 through the listing of that number of names. The campaign is to begin on February 13, the date of the next meeting of the Gettysburg branch, and continue until March 12.

The Gettysburg unit of the general league added 10 new members at Tuesday's session. The new members are Mrs. P. D. Thomas, Mrs. C. C. Trostle, Mrs. R. S. Hoke, Mrs. Austin Kelly, Mrs. I. C. Bucher, Mrs. James B. Goyne, Mrs. Hugh C. McIlhenny, Mrs. J. C. Donley, Mrs. Radford Lippy and Miss Betty Swope.

Mrs. Gilbert Reen reported on the tea and musical her committee conducted last month at the Women's division building at the college at which a total of $65 was cleared.

A report on the annual convention of the general league was given by Mrs. Henry T. Bream, secretary of the Gettysburg branch.

Tentative plans for the annual Women's league play to be given by the Gettysburg branch were announced for the first or second week of April.

Mrs. Earl J. Bowman, chairman of the membership committee, reported upon recent meetings of that group and plans for future activities.

The program for the Tuesday afternoon session was in charge of Mrs. Hanson who presented Mrs. Austin Fellenbaum, an alumnus of the college in the class of 1921 and now second vice president of the general league. She spoke interestingly of "The Psychology of the Child," relating her experiences in conducting a kindergarten for 35 children and a Bible school in Lancaster. "Discipline makes a child happy," she said.

Mrs. Henry M. Scharf sang "The Thirsty Child" and "The Martyr," accompanied by Mrs. Reen.

Herbert Stroup, student president of the Student Christian association on the campus, conducted the opening devotions on a theme appropriate to the Christmas season. The meeting was closed with the singing of the "Alma Mater." A social hour followed.

The meeting room was attractively decorated with a Christmas tree, evergreens and red roses.

Name February Hostesses

Nearly 100 persons attended the meeting and were served refreshments by these associate hostesses: Mrs. Scharf, Mrs. Reen, Mrs. Hanson, Mrs. Carrie Stauffer, Mrs. Earl Zeigler, Mrs. Russell Moul, Mrs. Karl Grimm, Mrs. W. G. Weaver, Mrs. Robert Miller and Mrs. John S. Rice.

The hostesses for the February meeting will be Miss Louise Bender, Mrs. A. H. Barr, Mrs. A. A. Hughes, Mrs. H. B. Bender, Mrs. John Mumper, Miss Maude Whiteleather, Mrs. D. R. Heiges, Mrs. J. M. Bender, Mrs. J. J. Hill and Mrs. Marie Zeigler.

Farm Calendar

Timely Reminders for Adams County Farmers From State College Specialists.

A sound feeding program for laying hens calls for a complete and well-balanced ration, a workable feeding system, and a skilled manager, poultry specialists have found. Satisfactory production cannot be expected if the ration, the system or the person doing the feeding is faulty.

Farm Woodlots

The amount of farmland in timber in Pennsylvania is increasing annually. Forestry specialists remind farmers planning to expand their woodlots that now is the time to order trees for planting next spring.

New Fruit Class

A new feature in the fruit division at the state farm show this winter will be the commercial class for eastern boxes of 1 1/5 to 1 1/8 bushel capacity, report fruit experts at Penn State. The class will make possible an excellent presentation of the quality of Pennsylvania's apples as they reach the market.

Oats for Laying Hens

Many Pennsylvania poultrymen have found that permitting the fowls access to a hopper of oats in the laying pen largely prevents picking and feather pulling, poultry extension specialists report.

Growing Greenhouse Tomatoes

Growers of greenhouse tomatoes select varieties that produce fruits uniform in size, smooth, free from cracks, and that give large yields. Demonstrations indicate that Michigan State Forcing and Long Calyx Forcing are among the best, vegetable specialists say.

Burning Wood

Penn State foresters say that a cord of dry hickory ironwood, black locust, or white oak has as much or greater fuel value than a ton of good grade soft coal.

Personal Mention and —Social Happenings—

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Mr. and Mrs. Arlie R. Orner, Gettysburg R. D., had as supper guests Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Orner and daughter, Anna Mae, Biglerville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Lewis, of Cashtown, will leave Thursday for New York city, where they will attend the annual dinner of the Pennsylvania Society at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel on Saturday evening. Thomas E. Dewey, Esq., and former United States Senator George Wharton Pepper will be the honor guests.

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C. Paul Cessna's Sunday school class of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Howard Kitzmiller, Buford avenue, Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

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Mr. and Mrs. Myles Kleinfelter, East Broadway, spent Tuesday in Harrisburg.

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Mrs. Wilbur Stallsmith, East Middle street, and her sister, Mrs. Edward Beall, who came here recently from Frankfort, Indiana, to make her future home, were visitors to York Tuesday. Mrs. Beall is remaining with Mrs. Stallsmith until she can make arrangements for a permanent home.

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Mr. and Mrs. George T. Raffensperger, South Stratton street, were visitors to York Tuesday.

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J. I. Burgoon, Samuel G. Spangler, N. B. Schnurman and P. W. Stallsmith attended a meeting of the Baltimore Rotary club at the Lord Baltimore hotel, Baltimore, Tuesday evening, Walter D. Head, president of the Rotary International, was the guest speaker at the meeting.

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Mrs. Calvin Gilbert entertained the members of the Monday Night club this week at her home on Hanover street. The club will meet next week with Mrs. Henry W. Kalbfleisch, North Washington street.

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Mrs. Eugene Grab, East Broadway, returned recently from a visit with friends in Washington, D. C.

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There will be no meeting of the gymnasium class of the Y. W. C. A. this week. The closing meeting of the series will be held next Wednesday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. Ellis Schwartz, Hanover street, and Mrs. Ralph Wierman, York street, spent Tuesday in Harrisburg.

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Mrs. E. J. Pfeffer, Baltimore street, returned Tuesday evening from a visit of several days in Philadelphia.

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George H. Amick, Jr., West Lincoln avenue, has returned from Bronxville, New York, where he attended the Christmas dances at the Sarah Lawrence school.

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Mrs. C. C. Trostle, York street, spent Monday in Baltimore.

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Mrs. Charles Utz, Barlow street, and Miss Helen Galbraith, Chambersburg street, were visitors in York Tuesday.

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The Cradle Roll mothers of St. James Lutheran Sunday school held their Christmas party Tuesday evening in the social room of the church. About 50 persons were present. Mrs. Gordon Parker, of Gettysburg, a Lutheran missionary, was the guest speaker. Games were played and gifts were exchanged. Refreshments were served by the following hostesses: Mrs. Paul Pensinger, Mrs. Loyal Smith, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. Charles Snyder and Mrs. Earl Wineman.

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Miss Mary Martin, East Lincoln avenue, has returned from a visit of several days with friends in Reading.

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Mrs. Frank Clutz, Mrs. C. E. Bilheimer, Broadway, Mrs. Thomas L. Cline and Miss Helen Cline, Carlisle street, will spend the evening in York.

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Mr. and Mrs. William A. Martin and daughter, Judith Ann, East Lincoln avenue, spent the week-end with friends in Reading.

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Mr. and Mrs. Burnell Buohl, Mrs. H. E. Kuykendall and Miss Emma Clay attended the ice follies at Hershey Tuesday evening.

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Women who are sewing for the Red Cross will meet this week on Thursday afternoon instead of Friday as the layettes will be assembled. All are requested to be present at this meeting.

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Over-the-Teacups met Monday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Frank H. Kramer, West Broadway. Mr. and Mrs. Russell A. Campbell presented a program on "musical reminiscences." The next meeting will be held January 8 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Cairns, Springs avenue.

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Members of the Maude Miller class of St. James Lutheran Sunday school were entertained at a Christmas party Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Kermit Deardorff, Steinwehr avenue. Associate hostesses were Mrs. William Codori, Mrs. Clyde F. Daly, Mrs. Paul Evans and Mrs. Russel Gilbert.

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Mrs. Harold T. McMurray will entertain the members of the Culvert club Thursday evening at a Christmas party at her home on South Stratton street.

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Mrs. S. F. Snyder and Miss Betty Snyder, Stevens street, were visitors in York Tuesday.

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The Business and Professional Women's club will hold its annual Christmas banquet at the Hotel Gettysburg on Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock. After the dinner there will be an exchange of gifts among the guests followed by cards. The committee in charge comprises Mrs. Ellen Buehler, chairman; Mrs. Mildred Shover, Mrs. Henrietta Blocher, Mrs. Golda Collins, Miss Helen Scott, Miss Alice Snyder, Mrs. Anna Bierer, Miss Jeanne Hogue, Miss Lucille Thomas and Mrs. Jessie Easterday.

WAGNER ACT IS ATTACKED BY UNION LEADER

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP)—An A.F.L. union leader asserted today that 80,000 coal miners have been denied their rights under the Wagner labor act and have been forced against their will to join the C.I.O.

Joe Ozanic, president of the Progressive Miners of the American Federation of Labor, told the house committee investigating the act and the National Labor Relations board:

"Approximately 80,000 mine workers in various coal fields have been denied their moral and legal rights under the provisions of the national labor relations act to belong to an organization of their own choosing, and these mine workers were, against their desires, being compelled by their employers and officials of the C.I.O.-U.M.W.A. (United Mine Workers of America) to join and pay dues to the United Mine Workers of America as a condition of their continued employments."

Edmund M. Toland, committee counsel, opened the third day's hearing by reviewing congressional debate on the Wagner act in an effort to show that congress intended that the board would not have authority to choose the same bargaining unit for separated plants of a single company.

William M. Leiserson, one of the three board members, had said Tuesday that the policy of the other two members on this point "doesn't make sense to me." Chairman J. Warren Madden and Edwin S. Smith, member, have in some instances certified all of a company's employes as a single bargaining unit despite their division among several plants.

As the hearing began, 15 representatives of the Progressive Mine Workers (A.F.L.) filed into the room and took front row seats. One of two negroes in the group was dressed in a miner's outfit, from headlamp to overalls and heavy shoes.

SWISS RIFLEMEN GO GUNNING FOR BEAR

Zurich, Switzerland, (AP)—Members of the crack Swiss rifle team which won the International Rifle Meet at Helsingfors, Finland, in 1937, were called to the Zurich zoo recently to shoot their own trophy.

The prize they brought back in 1937 was a Finnish brown bear cub. They presented it to the zoo where it shared quarters with three Swiss brown bears and a polar bear.

Recently the Finn grew combative and mauled his Swiss and Arctic companions so ferociously that zoo officials called in the rifle team to execute it. The culprit has been stuffed and sent to the National Rifle Museum in Berne to be exhibited with other Swiss shooting trophies.

WE'LL WALK, IF YOU PLEASE

St. Gallen, Switzerland, (AP)—S. Gallen Aero Club operates a mountain skipping ski plane for skiers only.

Their special plane leaves airports near the railroad and main commercial air lines and skims across snow-covered Alps which few commercial planes would risk crossing to the ski resorts of the Engadine.

It is equipped with landing skis and has room only for the pilot, two passengers and three pairs of skis. The extra pair is for the pilot—just in case.

The plane's top speed is 180 k. p.h. (112 m.p.h.) and it can land on any flat stretch of ground over 40 yards in length—which is a good thing in Alpine country.

CHAMP

Lynchburg, Va.—This city, where Thomas Edison taught the public that the tomato was good to eat, now boasts a tomato-growing champion. W. E. Martin, the champ, produced a tomato plant which grew to a height of 12 feet in his back yard.

LEAGUE INVITES NATIONS TO GIVE AID TO FINLAND

Geneva, Dec. 13 (AP)—A 13-nation committee of the League of Nations today adopted a resolution condemning Russia as an aggressor and containing an implied demand that Russia be ousted from the league for invading Finland.

The resolution, which was then submitted to the league assembly, which may act on it tonight, incorporated a report drawn up by a sub-committee "inviting" league members to give Finland all possible aid.

In addition it suggested that non-member nations such as the United States might be asked to join in helping Finland if the League of Nations council desires.

The report now goes to a special 13-nation committee considering the Russian-Finnish conflict before being submitted to the league assembly and then to the council.

Recommands Aid for Finland

Approval of the part naming Russia an aggressor and suggesting aid to Finland seemed certain since only a majority vote of the assembly is necessary. Action on expulsion of a member requires a unanimous council vote.

The sub-committee also condemned Russia as a violator of the league covenant and recommended putting the entire technical staff of the league—its economic, health and financial experts—at Finland's disposal.

Argetina led the way to a showdown on the expulsion with the threat she would resign, if the Soviet Union remained a member. To become effective, the ouster proposal must have the unanimous support of the league council, meeting tonight or Thursday.

Rodolfo Freyre, Argentine delegate, told the assembly his government's decision to resign is "unalterable" so long as Russia is a member.

His address was heard after the assembly learned officially of Russia's refusal to accept the league's offer to mediate her war with Finland.

Says Soviet Violated Covenant

"The league has no doubt lost all coercive force," Freyre declared, "but there still is one gesture that it has to make, one gesture that it cannot refuse to make, unless it is prepared to resign its function in the spirit of a truly suicidal defeat."

Freyre declared the Soviet Union had violated the league covenant and her non-aggression pact with Finland.

This, he declared, "constitutes a veritable challenge to the league and is an insult to all governments of which it is composed.

"The question now before us is whether we are going to continue to allow the perpetrator of this act of aggression to sit among us."

Finland was one of three nations elected today to the league council, of which the U.S.S.R. also is a member.

Finland and the Union of South Africa were new members named to the body of 15. Bolivia, the third nation named for a three-year term, was re-elected.

Presbyterian S. S. Teachers Hold Meet

The resignation of Mrs. Grant Reigle, East Middle street, as superintendent of the Cradle Roll department and a teacher in the beginners' department of the Gettysburg Presbyterian Sunday school was accepted with regret at the monthly meeting of the officers and teachers of the school Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Ross R. Myers, Howard street. Superintendent E. Donald Scott presided.

Mrs. Reigle's position was not filled. Mr. and Mrs. Reigle and their two daughters will move early next month to West Chester.

The following were appointed to decorate the church for the annual Christmas program: Jack Robertson, the Rev. and Mrs. Seth C. Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. John K. Lott, Clayton Warman, Hugh C. McIlhenny, Anna and Allen Larson and Robert Myers.

Mrs. George Hamme resigned as teacher of the high school class and G. Kenneth Newbould was elected to serve in her place.

Fourteen persons attended the meeting. Refreshments were served.

Ambassador Davies Predicts Long War

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP)—Joseph E. Davies, American ambassador to Belgium, told reporters today after conferring with Secretary Hull that "nothing short of a miracle can prevent the European war from being a long and bitter one."

He would not predict how many years were signified by the word "long."

Ambassador Davies was called back to Washington by President Roosevelt to confer with the State department on negotiations for a new trade agreement with Belgium.

Asked about reports that President Roosevelt was considering him for the cabinet post of secretary of the Navy, to take the place of the late Claude Swanson, Davies said: "There's nothing to it."

Upper End Communities

News notes from the Biglerville — Arendtsville — Bendersville section as gathered by special Times correspondent.

Call Biglerville, No. 8

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fetters and son, Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Steiber, of Norwalk, Ohio, were week-end guests of Mr. Fetters' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Fetters, of near Bendersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Lawver, daughter, Shirley, and son, Donald, of Biglerville, were visitors to York Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Fetters entertained Saturday evening at their home near Bendersville in honor of their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fetters and son, Bobby, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Steiber, of Norwalk, Ohio. Music was furnished by the Fetters brothers and refreshments were served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gable, of Harrisburg; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fetters and daughter, Darlene, and son, Clair, Mt. Tabor; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fetters, Brysonia; Anna, Helen, Jean and Ruth Fetters, Richard and Paul Fetters and Ralph May, of Wenksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Fetters had as guests Sunday at their home near Bendersville, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Day and son, Arthur, of Wormleysburg; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith, of York, and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fetters, of Brysonia.

Included in a party of men which returned this week from Cameron county where they had been hunting were Marshall Longanecker, Melvin Warren, Richard Warren, Charles Baker, Cameron Garretson, Edward Shoap, Earl Knouse, Roy Hoke, Glenn Hoke, Carey Beamer, and Charles Raffensperger. Walter Kime, of Biglerville, accompanied the party as cook. Five bucks were bagged during the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Wolff and son, Keith, Arendtsville, were guests Sunday of Mrs. Wolff's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Webb, of Carlisle. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cooley, of Brysonia, also spent the day with the Webbs.

Among those from out of the county who attended the funeral of Howard S. Spangler in Biglerville on Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Freed and Mrs. Sarah Bolen, Philadelphia; Dr. and Mrs. Nicholas, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Grace Seilhammer, Jamaica, Long Island; Mrs. Harvey McIlhenny, Waynesboro; Mr. and Mrs. John Fenton and daughter, Marie, George Keys, Harrisburg; Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Kadel and Mrs. V. C. Bushman, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slaughter, Haddon Heights, New Jersey; Edwin Kochenour, Manchester, Maryland; Fred Oborne and C. E. Post, York, and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Coulson, Carlisle.

Harold Trostle has returned to Chambersburg after a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Trostle, Arendtsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Guiney, Phoenixville, visited at the home of Mrs. Howard S. Spangler, Biglerville, Monday evening.

Mrs. Harry N. Trostle and Mrs. W. Arnold Raffensperger will entertain the members of the Blue Ribbon club at a Christmas party Friday evening at the former's home in Arendtsville.

The hunting party of which John Fidler, Biglerville, was a member, shot six deer in Clinton county instead of seven as was previously reported.

The King's Daughters class of Trinity Lutheran Sunday school, Arendtsville, will be entertained Friday evening by Mrs. Paul Burgoon, Mrs. Herbert Bryan and Miss Helen McDannell at the latter's home in Arendtsville. Twenty-five cent gifts will be exchanged.

Harry Heller is reported ill at his home in Biglerville.

The A. B. C. Bridge club was entertained recently by Miss Helen McDannell at her home in Arendtsville. The next meeting will be held with Miss Mary Barry.

JUSTICE

Mercer, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—After scoring a jury for acquitting a man accused of drunken driving, Judge George H. Rowley announced the usual two months jail sentence would be suspended for persons who pleaded guilty to such charges this term of court and paid fines and costs.

GETTING AWAY FROM IT ALL

Morris, Tenn. (AP)—Taking a house apart from under a burning roof is one way to save it from fire.

CCC youths near here found a house burning—and the well dry. "Take 'er down," yelled one. So they carried out furniture, took out window frames, ripped off weather stripping and unhinged doors.

"We missed a couple of windows," said one of the youths. "If we'd had tools, we could have saved more of that weather stripping."

LEAGUE FACES 'LIFE OR DEATH' IN SOVIET ISSUE

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press Foreign Affairs Writer

Moscow having rejected the offer of mediation in the Russo-Finnish war, the League of Nations has on its hands a grave problem in the Argentine motion for expulsion of the Soviet Union.

There is danger from both from the standpoint of the European war crisis and from that of the league itself.

Rodolfo Freyre, of the Argentine, in urging expulsion, declared the league was "faced with an issue of life or death." It could throw Russia out, or "resign its function in the spirit of truly suicidal defeat."

It is a tough spot, since the league will be damned if it does, and damned if it doesn't. It will lose at least one important member whichever way the voting goes, since the Argentine has said it will resign if the motion is defeated.

Should the league expel Russia, it will be the first time such drastic action has been taken against any country.

In 1935 the league applied sanctions to Italy as aggressor against Ethiopia, though less than three years later the league council gave members permission to recognize Mussolini's annexation of the African kingdom. Again in 1937 the league condemned Japan on a charge of bombing open towns in China.

Expulsion would brand the accused as an outcast in the eyes of the other member nations.

The reaction on the outlaw certainly would be one of bitterness and possibly of violence. World condemnation means the same to a nation as does community condemnation to the individual.

The point of the Russian suggestion about breaking off relations with Britain and France is that the allies accused of using the league for ulterior purposes.

This isn't the first time such a charge has been leveled at the Anglo-French brotherhood. Germany has been severe in its allegations that these two great powers have been playing international politics with the league machinery—using the small nations as cat's paws in supporting "imperialistic" schemes. Many Japanese have taken a similar position.

However that may be, and whatever may be the league action, there is this much to be said now:

If Russia persists in its thrusts for power which have been in evidence since Hitler's invasion of Poland, it is bound to clash with Britain and France sooner or later.

England and France don't propose to see either Russia or Germany dominate Europe. The war with Hitler is being fought on that basis.

And so, if Russia has any such ambition it will in turn be challenged. If the clash doesn't come now it quite likely will be a sequel to the Hitlerian war, provided the allies are successful in that.

Capitol To Be Closed From December 22 to 27

Harrisburg, Dec. 13 (AP)—A Christmas holiday for state employes at the capitol from Friday, December 22, at 5 p. m., until 8:30 a. m. Wednesday, December 27, was proclaimed by the governor today.

The governor's office said the capitol also will be closed on January 1, New Year's Day, and that "it will not be necessary to maintain skeleton forces in the various offices on Saturday, December 30.

WORLD NEWS

London, Dec. 13 (AP).—An authorized statement today announced that a fleet of airplanes specially fitted to transport blood for transfusions to British army hospitals in France or to any city suffering air raid casualties is "standing by."

Cork, Ireland, Dec. 13 (AP).—A conference of Prime Minister Eamon De Valera's fianna fail party today rejected a resolution calling for compulsory military service between the ages of 17 and 45.

Vatican City, Dec. 13 (AP).—Prelates said today Pope Pius XII is granting fewer private audiences to permit fore time for study and work. General audiences already have been practically suspended because of the small numbers of newlyweds recently seeking those privileges.

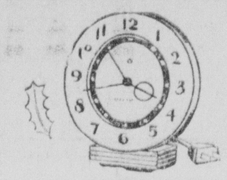
Hagen, Germany, Dec. 13 (AP).— Seventeen persons were killed and 41 were injured Tuesday night when two passenger trains collided here. The cause of the accident was still not cleared up today. (This was the seventh of a series of railway disaster in Germany since the outbreak of war. A total of 123 persons have been killed and more than 158 injured. Last Sunday 18 persons were killed when a passenger train struck a bus near Linz.)

Copenhagen, Dec. 13 (AP).—The 978-ton Swedish steamer Algol was reported to have struck a mine today in the straits between Denmark and Sweden. Swedish warships were sent to the vessel's assistance. The Algol struck the mine between the ports of Falsterbo and Trelleborg along the lower Swedish coast, it was reported.

Shanghai, Dec. 13 (AP).—Great Britain and France were reported their far eastern forces, Britain removing three of five gunboats on the Yangtze and the French slashing their Hankow garrison to 50 men. Britain announced November 13 only sufficient troops would be kept in north China to "maintain order."

Mexico City, Dec. 13 (AP).—The United States embassy informed the secretary of national defense today that nine destroyers were patrolling today to be reducing still further the Gulf of Mexico to prevent belligerent craft from invading the neutrality zone fixed by the conference of Panama.

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP).—The American Red Cross has spent or is spending more than $500,000 for the relief of persons in the European war areas. President Roosevelt, who is president of the Red Cross, told reporters Tuesday that the total included $25,000 sent to Finland for civilian uses and $16,000 for purchase of medicines in London for shipment to Finland.



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FAIRFIELD IS TRIPLE LOSER

Fairfield high school's basketball teams opened their season Tuesday evening by dropping three games to Washington Township on the latter's floor. In each game the Adams countians came back strong in the final half but could not over-come their opponents' lead.

The Fairfield varsity boys lost 22-16 and the reserves bowed 23-10. The girls scored in only one period to bow to the Washington Township sextet 25-5.

On Friday the varsity boys' will clash with the Gettysburg high reserves here while the reserve boys' and girls' teams play at Biglerville.

The box scores:

Boys' Game

Fairfield	G.	F.	Pts.
Brown, f	1	3-5	5
B. Musselman, f	0	0-0	0
Rohrbaugh, f	0	1-1	1
McCaus, c	3	0-2	6
R. Musselman, c	1	0-0	2
McGlaughlin, g	0	0-1	0
Deardorff, g	1	0-4	2
	6	4-13	16

Washington Township			
B. Small, f	2	2-4	6
Bare, f	1	0-1	2
Small, f	0	0-0	0
Stauffer, c	1	2-3	4
Crider, c	2	1-2	5
Christman, g	1	0-1	2
Stuckey, g	1	1-2	3
Demuth, g	0	0-0	0
	8	6-13	22

Score by periods:

Washington T.	6	4	9	3—22
Fairfield	3	2	4	7—16

Referee, Wilders. Scorer, Heintzelman. Timer, Cluck.

Girls' Game

Fairfield	G.	F.	Pts.
F. Slonaker, f	0	1-3	1
Nary, f	0	0-0	0
M. Slonaker, f, g	0	0-1	0
Kepner, f	0	0-0	0
Glenn, f	0	0-0	0
Kane, f, g	2	0-1	4
McCaus, g	0	0-0	0
Myers, g	0	0-0	0
Musselman, g	0	0-0	0
Hoyd, g	0	0-0	0
Spence, g	0	0-0	0
	2	1-5	5

Washington Township			
Rohrbaugh, f	7	2-4	16
Shindledecker, f	2	0-1	4
Boyer, f	0	1-2	1
Stephenson, f	0	0-1	0
Keckler, f	1	0-1	2
Lawhaw, f	0	2-4	2
Null, g	0	0-0	0
Barlup, g	0	0-0	0
Baumgardner, g	0	0-0	0
Latt, g	0	0-0	0
Miller, g	0	0-0	0
Beard, g	0	0-0	0
	10	5-13	26

Score by periods:

Washington T.	7	8	6	4—25
Fairfield	0	0	5	0— 5

Referee, Wilders. Scorer, Rebert. Timer, McCleaf.

Scrubs' Game

Fairfield	G.	F.	Pts.
Seese, f	2	0-1	4
Nary, f	0	0-2	0
J. Musselman, f	0	0-0	0
Boxting, f	0	0-0	0
Kepner, f	0	0-0	0
Weikert, f	0	0-1	0
Baker, c	1	0-0	2
Yoder, g	0	0-3	0
Byer, g	0	0-0	0
McClain, g	1	2-3	4
Shultz, g	0	0-1	1
	4	2-11	10

Washington Twp.			
Bloom, f	2	0-1	4
Burns, f	0	0-0	0
Tracey, f	2	0-1	4
Benchoff, f	1	0-1	2
Shuman, c	4	0-1	8
D. Small, g	2	0-2	4
Delauter, g	0	0-1	0
F. Rice, g	0	1-2	1
Stauffer, g	0	0-0	0
	11	1-8	23

Score by periods:

Washington Twp.	4	13	0	6—23
Fairfield	0	3	7	0—10

Referee, Wilders. Scorer, Heintzelman. Timer, Cluck.

Sports Roundup

BY EDDIE BRIETZ

New York, Dec. 13 (AP)—Fordham has been voted the best-dressed football team in the country. . . . Chicago syndicate headed by Barney Ross has offered $20,000 for the contract of Al Davis, up and coming New York heavyweight. . . . One of the Southwest conference teams is shopping for a coach in the Big Six. . . . Jack Miley, the sportscaster, can expect plenty of mid-western pan mail from his blast at Nile Kinnick the other night. . . . Death of Doug Fairbanks recalls his all-time sports hero was Bobby Jones, the one and only. . . . Them as was there at the signing say Davey O'Brien's Philadelphia Eagle contract called for $18,000 per—folding money in any league.

The Smith brothers (not the hack, hack boys) are doing all right at Minnesota. Bruce is the soph football flash and Don the soph basketball sensation. . . . Boston papers have sent staff writers to Clemson for close-ups of the team which will meet Boston college in the Cotton Bowl. . . . Bernie Bierman is denying he's had feelers from Vanderbilt, but what's that in his cheek—his tongue or that you-know-what chewing tobacco? . . . The Cuban government has allocated 100 G's to boost the purses at the Oriental Park race meeting opening December 23. . . . British football players are threatening to strike unless their pay is raised from 10 shillings (about two bucks to you) per game.

Today's guest star—Art Cohn, Oakland Tribune: "Latest recruit in the I'm-gonna-punch-Cohn-in-the-nose army is Ernie Lombardi, the 1939 Rip Van Winkle. . . . Don't over-match yourself, Ernie. . . . Heck, you couldn't hit .300—even in the National league."

Personal intelligence: Ed Boell, the New York university passer, is ready to turn pro at the drop of a hat. . . . Powel Crosley, Jr., owner of the Reds, has been coloneled by Governor Miles of New Mexico. . . . Joe Louis popped in to referee some amateur bouts and popped right out to second Holman Williams against Izzy Jannazzo at Scranton tonight. Edwin (Rip) Collins, the ailing New Jersey high school gridder, has been getting better ever since Nile Kinnick went to see him. . . . Frank Dobson's next coaching stop will be the Newport News, Virginia, Apprentice school. The sailors weren't napping on that one. . . . Yankee scout Johnny Haddock got a raise for a Christmas present. . . . O. K.?

You said it, Bo—Our old pal "Uptown" Dugan wires that it looks to him like Judge Landis has his National league friends right behind the hate ball.

Haw!—And it was only a year ago, recalls Ed Scannell in the Worcester, Massachusetts, Evening Gazette, that Dr. Eddie Anderson's pals were sympathizing with him for quitting Holy Cross and going to Iowa.

BASKETBALL SCORES

College

Bucknell, 47; American U., 36.
Dickinson, 41; Susquehanna, 33.
LaSalle, 37; West Chester, 21.
Yale, 36; Fordham, 28.
Wittenberg, 41; F. and M., 33.

High School

John Harris, 37; Carlisle, 30.
Hershey, 33; Elizabethtown, 26.
New Cumberland, 27; Lower Paxton, 23.
William Penn, 45; Swatara Twp., 31.
Nanticoke, 21; Freeland, 20.
Reading, 42; Patton Trade, 20.
York, 44; Stevens Trade, 40.
Hazleton, 67; Wilkes-Barre Meyers, 13.

REDS SCHEDULE 33 GAMES

Cincinnati, Dec. 13 (AP)—The Cincinnati Reds will play a 33-game grapefruit schedule, including a couple of games with the world champion New York Yankees. Fourteen of the spring games are with the Boston Red Sox. The Reds also will play the Detroit Tigers six times, and Brooklyn, the New York Giants, the St. Louis Cardinals, and the Phillies from time to time. There will also be the three games in Havana against a picked Cuban team.

DUKES VS OL' MISS

Pittsburgh, Dec. 13 (AP)—Scheduling of the University of Mississippi for the first time today left only one open date on undefeated Duquesne's nine-game grid card for 1940. The Dukes and Ole Miss tangle at Oxford next October 19, with the possibility the southern team may come here in 1941. Also on Duquesne's schedule are Waynesburg, South Carolina, North Carolina State, Marquette, St. Mary's, Carnegie Tech and Manhattan.

CLARK IS COACHING PROSPECT

Morgantown, W. Va., Dec. 13 (AP)—The name of George (Potsy) Clark, recently resigned coach of the Brooklyn professional team, today was added to the list of more than 100 receiving consideration for West Virginia's coaching job next year. Athletic Director Roy M. Hawley said special attention was being given "several good men, including Clark, but much remains to be done before a decision is made."

DEAN OF COACHES

Philadelphia, Dec. 13 (AP)—Leonardo Terrone, dean of Pennsylvania coaches in point of service, will start his 37th season January 13 when the University of Pennsylvania swordsmen meet Penn State.

STADIUM BY W.P.A.

Tarentum, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—The borough council and school board have approved plans for construction of a $40,000 stadium with W.P.A. assistance.

SAILOR ADRIFT 4 DAYS

London, Dec. 13 (AP)—Believed to be the sole survivor of a crew of 26 of a Danish vessel sunk by a submarine, a Danish sailor was picked up today by an Aberdeen trawler. He had been adrift on a raft for four days and when found was clutching the body of a dead officer. He failed to name his vessel before lapsing into unconsciousness but said she had been sunk last Saturday.

WATCHES THE ARMIES

Philadelphia, Dec. 13 (AP)—Still interested in the campaigns of modern armies, Civil War Veteran John B. Musser celebrated his 101st birthday anniversary Tuesday at his daughter's home. He says he believes he is the last survivor of Pennsylvania's 191st Regiment of Civil war days.

STURDY AT 93

Rockland, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—Miles Lusher is 93 years old and has been blind for 40 years but still swings a sturdy ax and uses just as sturdy a saw. His home and activities have provoked wonder among the younger generation who visit the active patriarch and watch him about his daily duties.

Thomas Jefferson, one of America's great democrats, learned some of his democratic concepts from his father, Peter Jefferson.

YANKEES PICKED FOR '39'S SPORT TITLE; IOWA 2ND

New York, Dec. 13 (AP)—The boss always said to put the news at the top of the story, so this first paragraph is hardly the place to tell you the country's sports experts picked the New York Yankees of baseball the No. 1 team of all 1939 sports.

Rather, it's the spot to explain that the experts balloting in the ninth annual Associated Press poll had a tough time deciding whether Iowa's comebacking football Hawkeyes, or the undefeated teams of Southern California, Tennessee and Cornell, rates the No. 2 slot. They finally gave it to Iowa, with 37½ points to 34 for the Pacific coast conference champions; 33 for the other half of the Rose Bowl, Tennessee, and 26 for Cornell.

Yet the combined vote for these four gridiron powers was only slightly more than half the total the Yankees rolled up in winning recognition as "outstanding team of the year, amateur or professional," for the fourth straight year, just as easily as they skyrocketed to their fourth straight world championship with a woeful walloping of the Cincinnati Reds in October.

Sixty-one of the 79 experts who cast ballots from all parts of the country picked the Yankees as undisputed No. 1 team. Another split his ticket between the Yankees and the Hawkeyes. Thirteen others put the Yanks in second place. There were only four who didn't mention them.

On a basis of three points for a first-place nomination, two for second and one for third, the Yanks ran up the tremendous total of 211½ points for the most lop-sided edge in the nine-year history of the Associated Press poll.

Of the 17 first-place selections in which the Yankees did not figure this year, seven went to Iowa's footballers, two to Southern California, three to Tennessee, two to Cornell and one each to the basketball teams of Oregon and Ohio State and to the footballers of Pennsylvania State college.

The voting:

	Firsts	Points
New York Yankees, baseball	61½	211½
U. of Iowa, football	7½	37½
U. of So. California, football	2	34
U. of Tennessee, football	3	33
Cornell U., football	2	26
Texas A. & M., football		18
U. of Oregon, basketball	1	12
Cincinnati Reds, baseball		9
Australian Davis cup, tennis		9
Boston Bruins, hockey		8
U. of So. California, track		7
Green Bay Packers, pro ftbl.		7
New York Giants, pro footbl.		7
Long Island U., basketball		6
Denver Nuggets, basketball		5
Harvard, crew		5
Ohio State U., basketball	1	4
U. of California, crew		4

May Create New Pa. National Guard Units

Harrisburg, Dec. 13 (AP)—Pennsylvania's citizen army may be augmented by creation of new combat and service units. If the next congress provides the money, Major General Edward Martin disclosed today.

At the same time, communities that now lack a National Guard unit may be assigned troops in the further expansion, the adjutant general and commander of the 28th division announced.

"About 30 communities have asked for National Guard organizations," Martin said. A requisite is that they have facilities to house the troops and safeguard their equipment.

In the midst of the Pennsylvania Guard's current expansion from a strength of about 10,000 men to approximately 12,000, Martin said organization of more corps and Army units is contemplated. Such units are integral parts of an Army corps, a group of two or more divisions, or a field army, a group of two or more corps. The War department now is filling-out the organization of these larger troop units.

BEATIFICATION NEXT JUNE

Vatican City, Dec. 13 (AP)—The beatification of Mother Philippine Rose Duchesne, who helped establish the Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in the United States, today was fixed for next June after the congregation of rites, in the presence of Pope Pius XII, discussed miracles attributed to her.

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"Santa Lucias" Greet Yuletide In Swedish Homes

Philadelphia, Dec. 13 (AP).—Fair-haired maidens wearing white robes and crowns of lighted candles made magic-like appearances in many of America's Swedish homes today—heralding the advent of the Christmas season.

As dawn crept through windows, these modern "Santa Lucias" went joyously from room to room awakening sleepers in a rite almost as old as Christianity itself.

Each young woman—the youngest and fairest of the household—brought steaming coffee and cakes to members of the family and guests assembled to greet Santa Lucia day with them.

In Philadelphia, in Minnesota's twin cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul and in other Swedish communities the country over, the colorful ceremony ushered in a month-long observance of the Yuletide.

Rich in folk-lore, merriment and solemnity, it will reach a climax Christmas eve.

As in the Scandinavian countries, the Santa Lucia rite—borrowed from Italy — commemorates the martyrdom of a fourth century saint.

An old Roman legend tells about a young girl—Lucia—who blinded herself as a martyr to Christianity. Her lover, a pagan, was so impressed he became converted to her faith—and her sight was restored.

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For many Swedes in America, Christmas still retains much of the tradition brought from the old world by Swedish settlers who began colonizing the Delaware river some 50 years before the coming of William Penn and his bands.

A scene of unusual Yuletide activity in Philadelphia still is Gloria Dei (Old Swedes) church, founded by the Swedish settlers in 1677. There the pageantry is re-enacted each year—highlighted always by distribution of gifts by "Tomtegobars"—little Swedish Santa Clauses.

Suspected of Murder In Five Auto Deaths

Los Angeles, Dec. 13 (AP).—Protesting his innocence, Laurel H. Crawford, 41, a World war veteran, is held on suspicion of murder in the deaths of five persons.

Crawford alone escaped when his automobile, containing his wife, their three children and a friend, plunged 1,000 feet down a canyon side on the road from Mount Wilson observatory Monday night.

Deputy Sheriff Paul Mahoney said Crawford carried a total of $40,500 in life and accident insurance on members of his family.

"It's all my fault," cried Crawford. "I shouldn't have been driving the car. It had bad brakes and the old gear box was in bad shape."

The victims were Mrs. Elva Ruth Crawford, 41; Alice, 15; Paul, 10; Helen, 8, and Ralph Barnett, 61, a lodger at the Crawford home.

RAIL RATE CONTINUED

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP)—The Interstate commerce commission Tuesday authorized a two-month extension of the basic 2.5 cent railroad passenger coach fare in the east. The railroads had asked for a nine-month extension of the fare which had been scheduled to expire on January 24. Under the commission's order today the 2.5 rate will continue to March 24.

HISTORIC GAVEL

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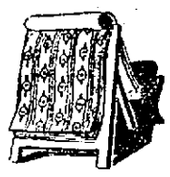
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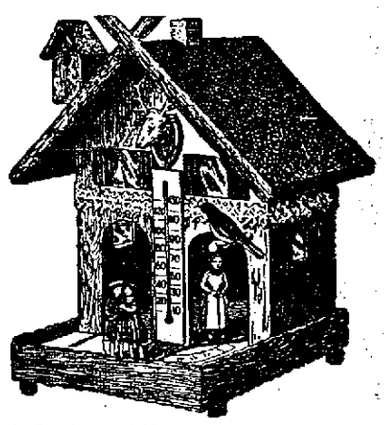
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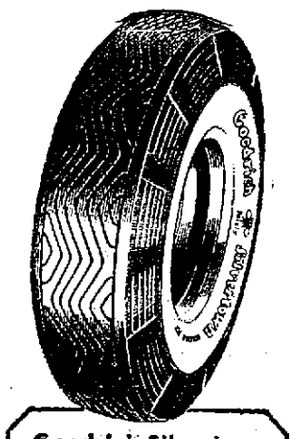
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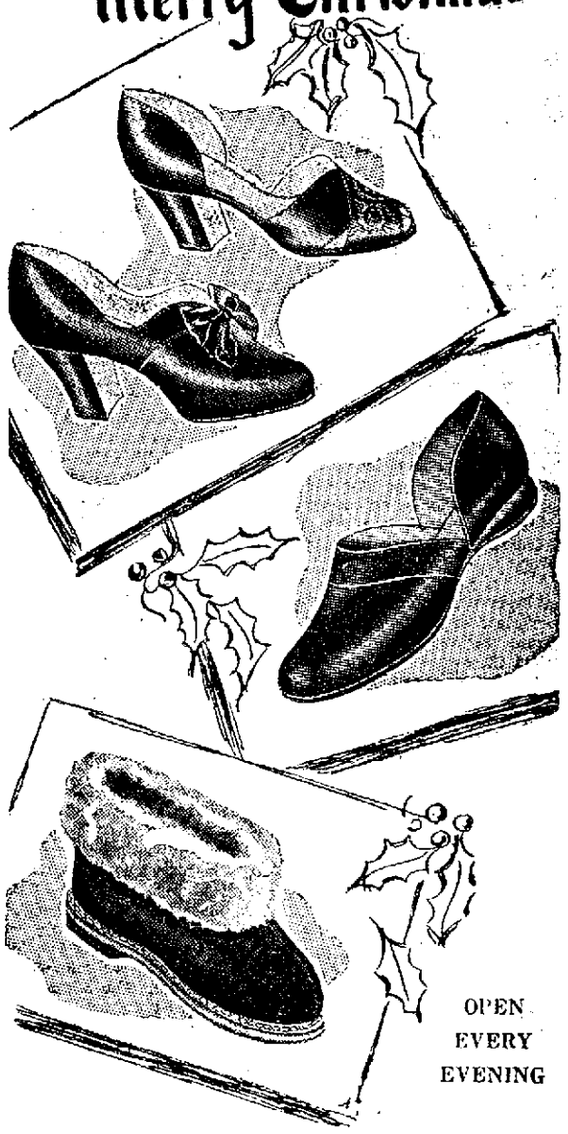
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FAIRFIELD IS TRIPLE LOSER

Fairfield high school's basketball teams opened their season Tuesday evening by dropping three games to Washington Township on the latter's floor. In each game the Adams countians came back strong in the final half but could not over-come their opponents' lead.

The Fairfield varsity boys lost 22-16 and the reserves bowed 23-10. The girls scored in only one period to bow to the Washington Township sextet 25-5.

On Friday the varsity boys' will clash with the Gettysburg high reserves here while the reserve boys' and girls' teams play at Biglerville.

The box scores:

Boys' Game

Fairfield	G.	F.	Pts.
Brown, f	1	3-5	5
B. Musselman, f	0	0-0	0
Rohrbaugh, f	0	1-1	1
McCans, c	3	0-2	6
R. Musselman, c	1	0-0	2
McGlaughlin, g	0	0-1	0
Deardorff, g	1	0-4	2
	6	4-13	16

Washington Township			
B. Small, f	2	2-4	6
Bare, f	1	0-1	2
Small, f	0	0-0	0
Stauffer, c	1	2-3	4
Crider, c	2	1-2	5
Christman, g	1	0-1	2
Stuckey, g	1	1-2	3
Demuth, g	0	0-0	0
	8	6-13	22

Score by periods:

Washington T.	6	4	9	3	—22
Fairfield	3	2	4	7	—16

Referee, Wilders. Scorer, Heintzelman. Timer, Cluck.

Girls' Game

Fairfield	G.	F.	Pts.
F. Slonaker, f	0	1-3	1
Nary, f	0	0-0	0
M. Slonaker, f, g	0	0-1	0
Kepner, f	0	0-0	0
Glenn, f	0	0-0	0
Kane, f, g	2	0-1	4
McCans, g	0	0-0	0
Myers, g	0	0-0	0
Musselman, g	0	0-0	0
Boyd, g	0	0-0	0
Spence, g	0	0-0	0
	2	1-5	5

Washington Township			
Rohrbaugh, f	7	2-4	16
Shindledecker, f	2	0-1	4
Boyer, f	0	1-2	1
Stephenson, f	0	0-1	0
Keckler, f	1	0-1	2
Lawhaw, f	0	2-4	2
Null, g	0	0-0	0
Barlup, g	0	0-0	0
Baumgardner, g	0	0-0	0
Latz, g	0	0-0	0
Miller, g	0	0-0	0
Beard, g	0	0-0	0
	10	5-13	25

Score by periods:

Washington T.	7	8	6	4	—25
Fairfield	0	0	5	0	— 5

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Scrubs' Game

Fairfield	G.	F.	Pts.
Sease, f	2	0-1	4
Nary, f	0	0-2	0
J. Musselman, f	0	0-0	0
Bowling, f	0	0-0	0
Kepner, f	0	0-0	0
Weikert, f	0	0-1	0
Baker, c	1	0-0	2
Yoder, g	0	0-3	0
Byer, g	0	0-0	0
McClain, g	1	2-3	4
Shultz, g	0	0-1	1
	4	2-11	10

Washington Twp.			
Bloom, f	2	0-1	4
Burns, f	0	0-0	0
Tracey, f	2	0-1	4
Benchoff, f	1	0-1	2
Shuman, c	4	0-1	8
D. Small, g	2	0-2	4
Delauter, g	0	0-1	0
F. Rice, g	0	1-2	1
Stauffer, g	0	0-0	0
	11	1-8	23

Score by periods:

Washington Twp.	4	13	0	6	—23
Fairfield	0	3	7	0	—10

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Sports Roundup

BY EDDIE BRIETZ

New York, Dec. 13 (AP)—Fordham has been voted the best-dressed football team in the country. . . . Chicago syndicate headed by Barney Ross has offered $20,000 for the contract of Al Davis, up and coming New York heavyweight. . . . One of the Southwest conference teams is shopping for a coach in the Big Six. . . . Jack Miley, the sportscaster, can expect plenty of mid-western pan mail from his blast at Nile Kinnick the other night. . . . Death of Doug Fairbanks recalls his all-time sports hero was Bobby Jones, the one and only. . . . Them as was there at the signing say Davey O'Brien's Philadelphia Eagle contract called for $18,000 per—folding money in any league.

The Smith brothers (not the hack, hack boys) are doing all right at Minnesota. Bruce is the soph football flash and Don the soph basketball sensation. . . . Boston papers have sent staff writers to Clemson for close-ups of the team which will meet Boston college in the Cotton Bowl. . . . Bernie Bierman is denying he's had feelers from Vanderbilt, but what's that in his cheek—his tongue or that you-know-what chewing tobacco? . . . The Cuban government has allocated 100 G's to boost the purses at the Oriental Park race meeting opening December 23. . . . British football players are threatening to strike unless their pay is raised from 10 shillings (about two bucks to you) per game.

Today's guest star—Art Cohn, Oakland Tribune: "Latest recruit in the I'm-gonna-punch-Cohn-in-the-nose army is Ernie Lombardi, the 1939 Rip Van Winkle. . . . Don't over-match yourself, Ernie. . . . Heck, you couldn't hit .300—even in the National league."

Personal intelligence: Ed Boell, the New York university passer, is ready to turn pro at the drop of a hat. . . . Powel Crosley, Jr., owner of the Reds, has been coloneled by Governor Miles of New Mexico. . . . Joe Louis popped in to referee some amateur bouts and popped right out to second Holman Williams against Izzy Jannazzo at Scranton tonight. Edwin (Rip) Collins, the ailing New Jersey high school gridder, has been getting better ever since Nile Kinnick went to see him. . . . Frank Dobson's next coaching stop will be the Newport News, Virginia, Apprentice school. The sailors weren't napping on that one. . . . Yankee scout Johnny Haddock got a raise for a Christmas present. . . . O. K.?

You said it, Bo—Our old pal "Uptown" Dugan wires that it looks to him like Judge Landis has his National league friends right behind the hate ball.

Haw!—And it was only a year ago, recalls Ed Scannell in the Worcester, Massachusetts, Evening Gazette, that Dr. Eddie Anderson's pals were sympathizing with him for quitting Holy Cross and going to Iowa.

BASKETBALL SCORES

College

Bucknell, 47; American U., 36.
Dickinson, 41; Susquehanna, 33.
LaSalle, 37; West Chester, 21.
Yale, 36; Fordham, 28.
Wittenberg, 41; F. and M., 33.

High School

John Harris, 37; Carlisle, 30.
Hershey, 33; Elizabethtown, 26.
New Cumberland, 27; Lower Paxton, 23.
William Penn, 45; Swatara Twp., 31.
Nanticoke, 21; Freeland, 20.
Reading, 42; Patton Trade, 20.
York, 44; Stevens Trade, 40.
Hazleton, 67; Wilkes-Barre Meyers, 13.

REDS SCHEDULE 33 GAMES

Cincinnati, Dec. 13 (AP)—The Cincinnati Reds will play a 33-game grapefruit schedule, including a couple of games with the world champion New York Yankees. Fourteen of the spring games are with the Boston Red Sox. The Reds also will play the Detroit Tigers six times, and Brooklyn, the New York Giants, the St. Louis Cardinals, and the Phillies from time to time. There will also be the three games in Havana against a picked Cuban team.

DUKES VS OL' MISS

Pittsburgh, Dec. 13 (AP)—Scheduling of the University of Mississippi for the first time today left only one open date on undefeated Duquesne's nine-game grid card for 1940. The Dukes and Ole Miss tangle at Oxford next October 19, with the possibility the southern team may come here in 1941. Also on Duquesne's schedule are Waynesburg, South Carolina, North Carolina State, Marquette, St. Mary's, Carnegie Tech and Manhattan.

CLARK IS COACHING PROSPECT

Morgantown, W. Va., Dec. 13 (AP)—The name of George (Potsy) Clark, recently resigned coach of the Brooklyn professional team, today was added to the list of more than 100 receiving consideration for West Virginia's coaching job next year. Athletic Director Roy M. Hawley said special attention was being given "several good men, including Clark, but much remains to be done before a decision is made."

DEAN OF COACHES

Philadelphia, Dec. 13 (AP)—Leonardo Terrone, dean of Pennsylvania coaches in point of service, will start his 37th season January 13 when the University of Pennsylvania swordsmen meet Penn State.

STADIUM BY W.P.A.

Tarentum, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—The borough council and school board have approved plans for construction of a $40,000 stadium with W.P.A. assistance.

SAILOR ADRIFT 4 DAYS

London, Dec. 13 (AP).—Believed to be the sole survivor of a crew of 26 of a Danish vessel sunk by a submarine, a Danish sailor was picked up today by an Aberdeen trawler. He had been adrift on a raft for four days and when found was clutching the body of a dead officer. He failed to name his vessel before lapsing into unconsciousness but said she had been sunk last Saturday.

WATCHES THE ARMIES

Philadelphia, Dec. 13 (AP)—Still interested in the campaigns of modern armies, Civil War Veteran John B. Musser celebrated his 101st birthday anniversary Tuesday at his daughter's home. He says he believes he is the last survivor of Pennsylvania's 191st Regiment of Civil war days.

STURDY AT 93

Rockland, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—Miles Lusher is 93 years old and has been blind for 40 years but still swings a sturdy ax and uses just as sturdy a saw. His home and activities have provoked wonder among the younger generation who visit the active patriarch and watch him about his daily duties.

Thomas Jefferson, one of America's great democrats, learned some of his democratic concepts from his father, Peter Jefferson.

YANKEES PICKED FOR '39'S SPORT TITLE; IOWA 2ND

New York, Dec. 13 (AP)—The boss always said to put the news at the top of the story, so this first paragraph is hardly the place to tell you the country's sports experts picked the New York Yankees of baseball the No. 1 team of all 1939 sports.

Rather, it's the spot to explain that the experts balloting in the ninth annual Associated Press poll had a tough time deciding whether Iowa's comebacking football Hawkeyes, or the undefeated teams of Southern California, Tennessee and Cornell, rates the No. 2 slot. They finally gave it to Iowa, with 37½ points to 34 for the Pacific coast conference champions; 33 for the other half of the Rose Bowl, Tennessee, and 26 for Cornell.

Yet the combined vote for these four gridiron powers was only slightly more than half the total the Yankees rolled up in winning recognition as "outstanding team of the year, amateur or professional," for the fourth straight year, just as easily as they skyrocketed to their fourth straight world championship with a woeful walloping of the Cincinnati Reds in October.

Sixty-one of the 79 experts who cast ballots from all parts of the country picked the Yankees as undisputed No. 1 team. Another split his ticket between the Yankees and the Hawkeyes. Thirteen others put the Yanks in second place. There were only four who didn't mention them.

On a basis of three points for a first-place nomination, two for second and one for third, the Yanks ran up the tremendous total of 211½ points for the most lop-sided edge in the nine-year history of the Associated Press poll.

Of the 17 first-place selections in which the Yankees did not figure this year, seven went to Iowa's footballers, two to Southern California, three to Tennessee, two to Cornell and one each to the basketball teams of Oregon and Ohio State and to the footballers of Pennsylvania State college.

The voting:

	Firsts	Points
New York Yankees, baseball	61½	211½
U. of Iowa, football	7½	37½
U. of So. California, football	2	34
U. of Tennessee, football	3	33
Cornell U., football	2	26
Texas A. & M., football	....	18
U. of Oregon, basketball	1	12
Cincinnati Reds, baseball	....	9
Australian Davis cup, tennis	....	9
Boston Bruins, hockey	....	8
U. of So. California, track	....	7
Green Bay Packers, pro ftbl.	....	7
New York Giants, pro footbl.	....	7
Long Island U., basketball	....	6
Denver Nuggets, basketball	....	5
Harvard, crew	....	5
Ohio State U., basketball	1	4
U. of California, crew	....	4

May Create New Pa. National Guard Units

Harrisburg, Dec. 13 (AP)—Pennsylvania's citizen army may be augmented by creation of new combat and service units. If the next congress provides the money, Major General Edward Martin disclosed today.

At the same time, communities that now lack a National Guard unit may be assigned troops in the further expansion, the adjutant general and commander of the 28th division announced.

"About 30 communities have asked for National Guard organizations," Martin said. A requisite is that they have facilities to house the troops and safeguard their equipment.

In the midst of the Pennsylvania Guard's current expansion from a strength of about 10,000 men to approximately 12,000, Martin said organization of more corps and Army units is contemplated. Such units are integral parts of an Army corps, a group of two or more divisions, or a field army, a group of two or more corps. The War department now is filling-out the organization of these larger troop units.

BEATIFICATION NEXT JUNE

Vatican City, Dec. 13 (AP)—The beatification of Mother Philippine Rose Duchesne, who helped establish the Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in the United States, today was fixed for next June after the congregation of rites, in the presence of Pope Pius XII, discussed miracles attributed to her.

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"Santa Lucias" Greet Yuletide In Swedish Homes

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As dawn crept through windows, these modern "Santa Lucias" went joyously from room to room awakening sleepers in a rite almost as old as Christianity itself.

Each young woman—the youngest and fairest of the household—brought steaming coffee and cakes to members of the family and guests assembled to greet Santa Lucia day with them.

In Philadelphia, in Minnesota's twin cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul and in other Swedish communities the country over, the colorful ceremony ushered in a month-long observance of the Yuletide.

Rich in folk-lore, merriment and solemnity, it will reach a climax Christmas eve.

As in the Scandinavian countries, the Santa Lucia rite—borrowed from Italy — commemorates the martyrdom of a fourth century saint.

An old Roman legend tells about a young girl—Lucia—who blinded herself as a martyr to Christianity. Her lover, a pagan, was so impressed he became converted to her faith—and her sight was restored.

For many Swedes in America, Christmas still retains much of the tradition brought from the old world by Swedish settlers who began colonizing the Delaware river some 50 years before the coming of William Penn and his bands.

A scene of unusual Yuletide activity in Philadelphia still is Gloria Dei (Old Swedes) church, founded by the Swedish settlers in 1677. There the pageantry is re-enacted each year—highlighted always by distribution of gifts by "Tomtegobars"—little Swedish Santa Clauses.

Suspected of Murder In Five Auto Deaths

Los Angeles, Dec. 13 (AP).—Protesting his innocence, Laurel H. Crawford, 41, a World war veteran, is held on suspicion of murder in the deaths of five persons.

Crawford alone escaped when his automobile, containing his wife, their three children and a friend, plunged 1,000 feet down a canyon side on the road from Mount Wilson observatory Monday night.

Deputy Sheriff Paul Mahoney said Crawford carried a total of $40,500 in life and accident insurance on members of his family.

"It's all my fault," cried Crawford. "I shouldn't have been driving the car. It had bad brakes and the old gear box was in bad shape."

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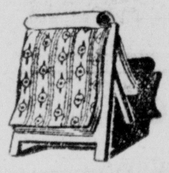
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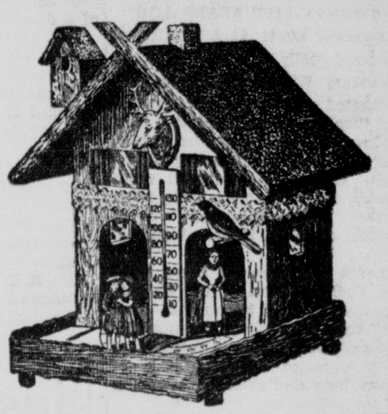
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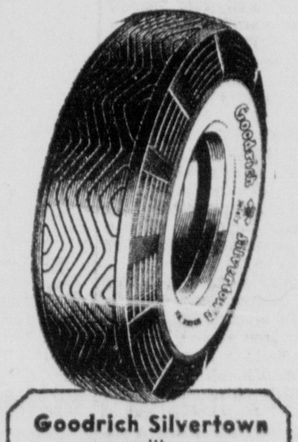
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WOMEN'S UNIT TO RAISE $2500 AS ITS SHARE OF CHAPEL FUND

(Continued from Page One)

ners Mrs. Idle revealed plans for the raising of that sum by the Gettysburg branch. Present plans call for the formation of 15 groups each charged with securing its share of the names.

10 Members Added

Mrs. Frank Kramer has been placed in general charge of the campaign to raise the $2,500 through the listing of that number of names. The campaign is to begin on February 13, the date of the next meeting of the Gettysburg branch, and continue until March 12.

The Gettysburg unit of the general league added 10 new members at Tuesday's session. The new members are Mrs. P. D. Thomas, Mrs. C. C. Trostle, Mrs. R. S. Hoke, Mrs. Austin Kelly, Mrs. I. C. Bucher, Mrs. James B. Goyne, Mrs. Hugh C. McIlhenny, Mrs. J. C. Donley, Mrs. Radford Lippy and Miss Betty Swope.

Mrs. Gilbert Reen reported on the tea and musical her committee conducted last month at the Women's division building at the college at which a total of $65 was cleared.

A report on the annual convention of the general league was given by Mrs. Henry T. Bream, secretary of the Gettysburg branch.

Tentative plans for the annual Women's league play to be given by the Gettysburg branch were announced for the first or second week of April.

Mrs. Earl J. Bowman, chairman of the membership committee, reported upon recent meetings of that group and plans for future activities.

The program for the Tuesday afternoon session was in charge of Mrs. Hinson who presented Mrs. Austin Fellenbaum, an alumnus of the college in the class of 1921 and now second vice president of the general league. She spoke interestingly of "The Psychology of the Child," relating her experiences in conducting a kindergarten for 35 children and a Bible school in Lancaster. "Discipline makes a child happy," she said.

Mrs. Henry M. Scharf sang "The Thirsty Child" and "The Martyr," accompanied by Mrs. Reen.

Herbert Stroup, student president of the Student Christian association on the campus, conducted the opening devotions on a theme appropriate to the Christmas season. The meeting was closed with the singing of the "Alma Mater." A social hour followed.

The meeting room was attractively decorated with a Christmas tree, evergreens and red roses.

Name February Hostesses

Nearly 100 persons attended the meeting and were served refreshments by these associate hostesses: Mrs. Scharf, Mrs. Reen, Mrs. Hanson, Mrs. Carrie Stauffer, Mrs. Earl Zeigler, Mrs. Russell Moul, Mrs. Karl Grimm, Mrs. W. G. Weaver, Mrs. Robert Miller and Mrs. John S. Rice.

The hostesses for the February meeting will be Miss Louise Bender, Mrs. A. H. Barr, Mrs. A. A. Hughes, Mrs. H. B. Bender, Mrs. John Munner, Miss Maude Whiteleather, Mrs. D. R. Heiges, Mrs. J. M. Bender, Mrs. J. J. Hill and Mrs. Marie Zeigler.

Farm Calendar

Timely Reminders for Adams County Farmers From State College Specialists.

A sound feeding program for laying hens calls for a complete and well-balanced ration, a workable feeding system, and a skilled manager, poultry specialists have found. Satisfactory production cannot be expected if the ration, the system or the person doing the feeding is lacking.

Farm Woodlots

The amount of farmland in timber in Pennsylvania is increasing annually. Forestry specialists remind farmers planning to expand their woodlots that now is the time to order trees for planting next spring.

New Fruit Class

A new feature in the fruit division at the state farm show this winter will be the commercial class for eastern boxes of 1 1/5 to 1 1/8 bushel capacity, report fruit experts at Penn State. The class will make possible an excellent presentation of the quality of Pennsylvania's apples as they reach the market.

Oats for Laying Hens

Many Pennsylvania poultrymen have found that permitting the fowls access to a hopper of oats in the laying pen largely prevents picking and feather pulling, poultry extension specialists report.

Growing Greenhouse Tomatoes

Growers of greenhouse tomatoes select varieties that produce fruits uniform in size, smooth, free from cracks, and that give large yields. Demonstrations indicate that Michigan State Forcing and Long Calyx Forcing are among the best, vegetable specialists say.

Burning Wood

Penn State foresters say that a cord of dry hickory ironwood, black locust, or white oak has as much or greater fuel value than a ton of good grade soft coal.

Personal Mention and —Social Happenings—

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Mr. and Mrs. Arlie R. Orner, Gettysburg R. D., had as supper guests Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Orner and daughter, Anna Mae, Biglerville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Lewis, of Cashtown, will leave Thursday for New York city, where they will attend the annual dinner of the Pennsylvania Society at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel on Saturday evening. Thomas E. Dewey, Esq., and former United States Senator George Wharton Pepper will be the honor guests.

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C. Paul Cessna's Sunday school class of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Howard Kitzmiller, Buford avenue, Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

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Mr. and Mrs. Myles Kleinfelter, East Broadway, spent Tuesday in Harrisburg.

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Mrs. Wilbur Stallsmith, East Middle street, and her sister, Mrs. Edward Beall, who came here recently from Frankfort, Indiana, to make her future home, were visitors to York Tuesday. Mrs. Beall is remaining with Mrs. Stallsmith until she can make arrangements for a permanent home.

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Mr. and Mrs. George T. Raffensperger, South Stratton street, were visitors to York Tuesday.

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J. I. Burgoon, Samuel G. Spangler, N. B. Schnurman and P. W. Stallsmith attended a meeting of the Baltimore Rotary club at the Lord Baltimore hotel, Baltimore, Tuesday evening, Walter D. Head, president of the Rotary International, was the guest speaker at the meeting.

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Mrs. Calvin Gilbert entertained the members of the Monday Night club this week at her home on Hanover street. The club will meet next week with Mrs. Henry W. Kalbfleisch, North Washington street.

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Mrs. Eugene Grab, East Broadway, returned recently from a visit with friends in Washington, D. C.

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There will be no meeting of the gymnasium class of the Y. W. C. A. this week. The closing meeting of the series will be held next Wednesday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. Ellis Schwartz, Hanover street, and Mrs. Ralph Wierman, York street, spent Tuesday in Harrisburg.

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Mrs. E. J. Pfeffer, Baltimore street, returned Tuesday evening from a visit of several days in Philadelphia.

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George H. Amick, Jr., West Lincoln avenue, has returned from Bronxville, New York, where he attended the Christmas dances at the Sarah Lawrence school.

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Mrs. C. C. Trostle, York street, spent Monday in Baltimore.

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Mrs. Charles Utz, Barlow street, and Miss Helen Galbraith, Chambersburg street, were visitors in York Tuesday.

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The Cradle Roll mothers of St. James Lutheran Sunday school held their Christmas party Tuesday evening in the social room of the church. About 50 persons were present. Mrs. Gordon Parker, of Gettysburg, a Lutheran missionary, was the guest speaker. Games were played and gifts were exchanged. Refreshments were served by the following hostesses: Mrs. Paul Pensinger, Mrs. Loyal Smith, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. Charles Snyder and Mrs. Earl Wineman.

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Miss Mary Martin, East Lincoln avenue, has returned from a visit of several days with friends in Reading.

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Mrs. Frank Clutz, Mrs. C. E. Bilheimer, Broadway, Mrs. Thomas L. Cline and Miss Helen Cline, Carlisle street, will spend the evening in York.

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Mr. and Mrs. William A. Martin and daughter, Judith Ann, East Lincoln avenue, spent the week-end with friends in Reading.

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Mr. and Mrs. Burnell Buehl, Mrs. H. E. Kuykendall and Miss Emma Clay attended the ice follies at Hershey Tuesday evening.

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Women who are sewing for the Red Cross will meet this week on Thursday afternoon instead of Friday as the layettes will be assembled. All are requested to be present at this meeting.

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Over-the-Teacups met Monday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Frank H. Kramer, West Broadway. Mr. and Mrs. Russell A. Campbell presented a program on "musical reminiscences." The next meeting will be held January 8 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Cairns, Springs avenue.

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Members of the Maude Miller class of St. James Lutheran Sunday school were entertained at a Christmas party Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Kermit Deardorff, Steinwehr avenue. Associate hostesses were Mrs. William Codori, Mrs. Clyde F. Daly, Mrs. Paul Evans and Mrs. Russel Gilbert.

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Mrs. Harold T. McMurray will entertain the members of the Culvert club Thursday evening at a Christmas party at her home on South Stratton street.

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Mrs. S. F. Snyder and Miss Betty Snyder, Stevens street, were visitors in York Tuesday.

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The Business and Professional Women's club will hold its annual Christmas banquet at the Hotel Gettysburg on Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock. After the dinner there will be an exchange of gifts among the guests followed by cards. The committee in charge comprises Mrs. Ellen Buehler, chairman; Mrs. Mildred Shover, Mrs. Henrietta Blocher, Mrs. Golda Collins, Miss Helen Scott, Miss Alice Snyder, Mrs. Anna Blerer, Miss Jeanne Hogue, Miss Lucille Thomas and Mrs. Jessie Easterday.

WAGNER ACT IS ATTACKED BY UNION LEADER

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP)—An A.F.L. union leader asserted today that 80,000 coal miners have been denied their rights under the Wagner labor act and have been forced against their will to join the C.I.O.

Joe Ozanic, president of the Progressive Miners of the American Federation of Labor, told the house committee investigating the act and the National Labor Relations board:

"Approximately 80,000 mine workers in various coal fields have been denied their moral and legal rights under the provisions of the national labor relations act to belong to an organization of their own choosing, and these mine workers were, against their desires, being compelled by their employers and officials of the C.I.O.-U.M.W.A. (United Mine Workers of America) to join and pay dues to the United Mine Workers of America as a condition of their continued employments."

Edmund M. Toland, committee counsel, opened the third day's hearing by reviewing congressional debate on the Wagner act in an effort to show that congress intended that the board would not have authority to choose the same bargaining unit for separated plants of a single company.

William M. Leiserson, one of the three board members, had said Tuesday that the policy of the other two members on this point "doesn't make sense to me." Chairman J. Warren Madden and Edwin S. Smith, member, have in some instances certified all of a company's employes as a single bargaining unit despite their division among several plants.

As the hearing began, 15 representatives of the Progressive Mine Workers (A.F.L.) filed into the room and took front row seats. One of two negroes in the group was dressed in a miner's outfit, from headlamp to overalls and heavy shoes.

SWISS RIFLEMEN GO GUNNING FOR BEAR

Zurich, Switzerland, (AP)—Members of the crack Swiss rifle team which won the International Rifle Meet at Helsingfors, Finland, in 1937, were called to the Zurich zoo recently to shoot their own trophy.

The prize they brought back in 1937 was a Finnish brown bear cub. They presented it to the zoo where it shared quarters with three Swiss brown bears and a polar bear.

Recently the Finn grew combative and mauled his Swiss and Arctic companions so ferociously that zoo officials called in the rifle team to execute it. The culprit has been stuffed and sent to the National Rifle Museum in Berne to be exhibited with other Swiss shooting trophies.

WE'LL WALK, IF YOU PLEASE

St. Gallen, Switzerland, (AP)—S. Gallen Aero Club operates a mountain skipping ski plane for skiers only.

Their special plane leaves airports near the railroad and main commercial air lines and skims across snow-covered Alps which few commercial planes would risk crossing to the ski resorts of the Engadine.

It is equipped with landing skis and has room only for the pilot, two passengers and three pairs of skis. The extra pair is for the pilot—just in case.

The plane's top speed is 180 k. p. h. (112 m. p. h.) and it can land on any flat stretch of ground over 40 yards in length—which is a good thing in Alpine country.

CHAMP

Lynchburg, Va.—This city, where Thomas Edison taught the public that the tomato was good to eat, now boasts a tomato-growing champion. W. E. Martin, the champ, produced a tomato plant which grew to a height of 12 feet in his back yard.

LEAGUE INVITES NATIONS TO GIVE AID TO FINLAND

Geneva, Dec. 13 (AP)—A 13-nation committee of the League of Nations today adopted a resolution condemning Russia as an aggressor and containing an implied demand that Russia be ousted from the league for invading Finland.

The resolution, which was then submitted to the league assembly, which may act on it tonight, incorporated a report drawn up by a sub-committee "inviting" league members to give Finland all possible aid.

In addition it suggested that non-member nations such as the United States might be asked to join in helping Finland if the League of Nations council desires.

The report now goes to a special 13-nation committee considering the Russian-Finnish conflict before being submitted to the league assembly and then to the council.

Recommands Aid for Finland

Approval of the part naming Russia an aggressor and suggesting aid to Finland seemed certain since only a majority vote of the assembly is necessary. Action on expulsion of a member requires a unanimous council vote.

The sub-committee also condemned Russia as a violator of the league covenant and recommended putting the entire technical staff of the league—its economic, health and financial experts—at Finland's disposal.

Argetina led the way to a showdown on the expulsion with the threat she would resign, if the Soviet Union remained a member. To become effective, the ouster proposal must have the unanimous support of the league council, meeting tonight or Thursday.

Rodolfo Freyre, Argentine delegate, told the assembly his government's decision to resign is "unalterable" so long as Russia is a member.

His address was heard after the assembly learned officially of Russia's refusal to accept the league's offer to mediate her war with Finland.

Says Soviet Violated Covenant

"The league has no doubt lost all coercive force," Freyre declared, "but there still is one gesture that it has to make; one gesture that it cannot refuse to make, unless it is prepared to resign its function in the spirit of a truly suicidal defeat."

Freyre declared the Soviet Union had violated the league covenant and her non-aggression pact with Finland.

This, he declared, "constitutes a veritable challenge to the league and is an insult to all governments of which it is composed.

"The question now before us is whether we are going to continue to allow the perpetrator of this act of aggression to sit among us."

Finland was one of three nations elected today to the league council, of which the U.S.S.R. also is a member.

Finland and the Union of South Africa were new members named to the body of 15. Bolivia, the third nation named for a three-year term, was re-elected.

Presbyterian S. S. Teachers Hold Meet

The resignation of Mrs. Grant Reigle, East Middle street, as superintendent of the Cradle Roll department and a teacher in the beginners' department of the Gettysburg Presbyterian Sunday school was accepted with regret at the monthly meeting of the officers and teachers of the school Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Ross R. Myers, Howard street. Superintendent E. Donald Scott presided.

Mrs. Reigle's position was not filled. Mr. and Mrs. Reigle and their two daughters will move early next month to West Chester.

The following were appointed to decorate the church for the annual Christmas program: Jack Robertson, the Rev. and Mrs. Seth C. Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. John K. Lott, Clayton Warman, Hugh C. McIlhenny, Anna and Allen Larson and Robert Myers.

Mrs. George Hamme resigned as teacher of the high school class and G. Kenneth Newbould was elected to serve in her place.

Fourteen persons attended the meeting. Refreshments were served.

Ambassador Davies Predicts Long War

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP)—Joseph E. Davies, American ambassador to Belgium, told reporters today after conferring with Secretary Hull that "nothing short of a miracle can prevent the European war from being a long and bitter one."

He would not predict how many years were signified by the word "long."

Ambassador Davies was called back to Washington by President Roosevelt to confer with the State department on negotiations for a new trade agreement with Belgium.

Asked about reports that President Roosevelt was considering him for the cabinet post of secretary of the Navy, to take the place of the late Claude Swanson, Davies said: "There's nothing to it."

Upper End Communities

News notes from the Biglerville—Arendtsville—Bendersville section as gathered by special Times correspondent.

Call Biglerville, No. 8

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fetters and son, Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Steiber, of Norwalk, Ohio, were week-end guests of Mr. Fetters' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Fetters, of near Bendersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Lawver, daughter, Shirley, and son, Donald, of Biglerville, were visitors to York Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Fetters entertained Saturday evening at their home near Bendersville in honor of their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fetters and son, Bobby, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Steiber, of Norwalk, Ohio. Music was furnished by the Fetters brothers and refreshments were served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gable, of Harrisburg; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fetters and daughter, Darlene, and son, Clair, Mt. Tabor; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fetters, Brysonia; Anna, Helen, Jean and Ruth Fetters, Richard and Paul Fetters and Ralph May, of Wenksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Fetters had as guests Sunday at their home near Bendersville, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Day and son, Arthur, of Wormleysburg; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith, of York, and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fetters, of Brysonia.

Included in a party of men which returned this week from Cameron county where they had been hunting were Marshall Longanecker, Melvin Warren, Richard Warren, Charles Baker, Cameron Garretson, Edward Shoap, Earl Knouse, Roy Hoke, Glenn Hoke, Carey Beamer, and Charles Raffensperger. Walter Kime, of Biglerville, accompanied the party as cook. Five bucks were bagged during the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Wolff and son, Keith, Arendtsville, were guests Sunday of Mrs. Wolff's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Webb, of Carlisle. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cooley, of Brysonia, also spent the day with the Webbs.

Among those from out of the county who attended the funeral of Howard S. Spangler in Biglerville on Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Freed and Mrs. Sarah Bolen, Philadelphia; Dr. and Mrs. Nicholas, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Grace Seilhammer, Jamaica, Long Island; Mrs. Harvey McIlhenny, Waynesboro; Mr. and Mrs. John Fenton and daughter, Marie, George Keys, Harrisburg; Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Kadel and Mrs. V. C. Bushman, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slaughter, Haddon Heights, New Jersey; Edwin Kochenour, Manchester, Maryland; Fred Oborne and C. E. Post, York, and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Coulson, Carlisle.

Harold Trostle has returned to Chambersburg after a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Trostle, Arendtsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Guiney, Phoenixville, visited at the home of Mrs. Howard S. Spangler, Biglerville, Monday evening.

Mrs. Harry N. Trostle and Mrs. W. Arnold Raffensperger will entertain the members of the Blue Ribbon club at a Christmas party Friday evening at the former's home in Arendtsville.

The hunting party of which John Fidler, Biglerville, was a member, shot six deer in Clinton county instead of seven as was previously reported.

The King's Daughters class of Trinity Lutheran Sunday school, Arendtsville, will be entertained Friday evening by Mrs. Paul Burgoon, Mrs. Herbert Bryan and Miss Helen McDannell at the latter's home in Arendtsville. Twenty-five cent gifts will be exchanged.

Harry Heller is reported ill at his home in Biglerville.

The A. B. C. Bridge club was entertained recently by Miss Helen McDannell at her home in Arendtsville. The next meeting will be held with Miss Mary Barry.

JUSTICE

Mercer, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—After scoring a jury for acquitting a man accused of drunken driving, Judge George H. Rowley announced the usual two months jail sentence would be suspended for persons who pleaded guilty to such charges this term of court and paid fines and costs.

GETTING AWAY FROM IT ALL

Morris, Tenn. (AP)—Taking a house apart from under a burning roof is one way to save it from fire.

CCC youths near here found a house burning—and the well dry. "Take 'er down," yelled one. So they carried out furniture, took out window frames, ripped off weather stripping and unhinged doors.

"We missed a couple of windows," said one of the youths. "If we'd had tools, we could have saved more of that weather stripping."

LEAGUE FACES 'LIFE OR DEATH' IN SOVIET ISSUE

—By DEWITT MACKENZIE—
Associated Press Foreign Affairs Writer

Moscow having rejected the offer of mediation in the Russo-Finnish war, the League of Nations has on its hands a grave problem in the Argentine motion for expulsion of the Soviet Union.

There is danger from both from the standpoint of the European war crisis and from that of the league itself.

Rodolfo Freyre, of the Argentine, in urging expulsion, declared the league was "faced with an issue of life or death." It could throw Russia out, or "resign its function in the spirit of truly suicidal defeat."

It is a tough spot, since the league will be damned if it does, and damned if it doesn't. It will lose at least one important member whichever way the voting goes, since the Argentine has said it will resign if the motion is defeated.

Should the league expel Russia, it will be the first time such drastic action has been taken against any country.

In 1935 the league applied sanctions to Italy as aggressor against Ethiopia, though less than three years later the league council gave members permission to recognize Mussolini's annexation of the African kingdom. Again in 1937 the league condemned Japan on a charge of bombing open towns in China.

Expulsion would brand the accused as an outcast in the eyes of the other member nations.

The reaction on the outlaw certainly would be one of bitterness and possibly of violence. World condemnation means the same to a nation as does community condemnation to the individual.

The point of the Russian suggestion about breaking off relations with Britain and France is that the allies accused of using the league for ulterior purposes.

This isn't the first time such a charge has been leveled at the Anglo-French brotherhood. Germany has been severe in its allegations that these two great powers have been playing international politics with the league machinery—using the small nations as cat's paws in supporting "imperialistic" schemes. Many Japanese have taken a similar position.

However that may be, and whatever may be the league action, there is this much to be said now:

If Russia persists in its thrusts for power which have been in evidence since Hitler's invasion of Poland, it is bound to clash with Britain and France sooner or later.

England and France don't propose to see either Russia or Germany dominate Europe. The war with Hitler is being fought on that basis.

And so, if Russia has any such ambition it will in turn be challenged. If the clash doesn't come now it quite likely will be a sequel to the Hitlerian war, provided the allies are successful in that.

Capitol To Be Closed From December 22 to 27

Harrisburg, Dec. 13 (AP)—A Christmas holiday for state employes at the capitol from Friday, December 22, at 5 p. m., until 8:30 a. m. Wednesday, December 27, was proclaimed by the governor today.

The governor's office said the capitol also will be closed on January 1, New Year's Day, and that "it will not be necessary to maintain skeleton forces in the various offices on Saturday, December 30.

WORLD NEWS

London, Dec. 13 (AP)—An authorized statement today announced that a fleet of airplanes specially fitted to transport blood for transfusions to British army hospitals in France or to any city suffering air raid casualties is "standing by."

Cork, Ireland, Dec. 13 (AP)—A conference of Prime Minister Eamon De Valera's Fianna Fail party today rejected a resolution calling for compulsory military service between the ages of 17 and 45.

Vatican City, Dec. 13 (AP)—Prelates said today Pope Pius XII is granting fewer private audiences to permit fore time for study and work. General audiences already have been practically suspended because of the small numbers of newlyweds recently seeking those privileges.

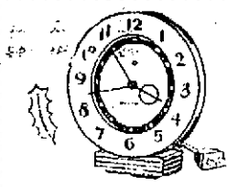
Hagen, Germany, Dec. 13 (AP)—Seventeen persons were killed and 41 were injured Tuesday night when two passenger trains collided here. The cause of the accident was still not cleared up today. (This was the seventh of a series of railway disaster in Germany since the outbreak of war. A total of 123 persons have been killed and more than 158 injured. Last Sunday 18 persons were killed when a passenger train struck a bus near Linz.)

Copenhagen, Dec. 13 (AP)—The 978-ton Swedish steamer Algol was reported to have struck a mine today in the straits between Denmark and Sweden. Swedish warships were sent to the vessel's assistance. The Algol struck the mine between the ports of Falsterbo and Trelleborg along the lower Swedish coast, it was reported.

Shanghai, Dec. 13 (AP)—Great Britain and France were reported their far eastern forces. Britain removing three of five gunboats on the Yangtze and the French slashing their Hankow garrison to 50 men. Britain announced November 13 only sufficient troops would be kept in north China to "maintain order."

Mexico City, Dec. 13 (AP)—The United States embassy informed the secretary of national defense today that nine destroyers were patrolling today to be reducing still further the Gulf of Mexico to prevent belligerent craft from invading the neutrality zone fixed by the conference of Panama.

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP)—The American Red Cross has spent or is spending more than $500,000 for the relief of persons in the European war areas. President Roosevelt, who is president of the Red Cross, told reporters Tuesday that the total included $25,000 sent to Finland for civilian uses and $16,000 for purchase of medicines in London for shipment to Finland.



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An Evening Thought

There is no greater wisdom than well to time the beginning and outsets of things.—Bacon.

Out of the Past

Happening of days gone by as chronicled in The Star and Sentinel and The Gettysburg Times the files reveal.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Veterans Elect: At a meeting of Corporal Skelly Post 9, G. A. R., on Saturday, William T. Ziegler was re-elected commander. This makes Mr. Ziegler's third consecutive term and he was also commander in 1873, the year after the founding of the Post. Other officers elected were: Senior vice commander, Harry Lott; junior vice commander, Jacob Herbst; adjutant, Hanson Lightner.

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Lodge of Sorrow by Local Elks: An audience that filled Walter's Theatre attended the annual lodge of sorrow on Sunday afternoon by the Gettysburg Elks in memory of their departed brothers, nine of whom have died since the founding of the order.

The oration was delivered by Hon. William McSherry, who spoke particularly of Mr. John J. Eberhart, the only member who died during the past year.

The musical program was in charge of a Carlisle quartet. Miss Minnie Lohr was the accompanist.

The invocation and benediction were pronounced by Dr. T. C. Billheimer.

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Two Couples Married: Paul Edward Stahley, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Stahley, West Middle street, and Miss Flora Bell Baumgardner, also of Gettysburg, were married in Frederick Saturday by Dr. E. H. Lamar.

Miss Jessie V. Shirley, of Fairfield, and George D. Naugle, of Mont Alto, were married by Dr. E. H. Lamar, in Frederick, on Saturday.

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Beamer-Orner: At half past eleven o'clock on Thursday morning the wedding of Miss May E. Orner and Alvin A. Beamer took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hanson W. Taylor, near Arendtsville. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. C. Hesson.

The wedding march was played by Miss Ruth Klepper. They will reside in Menallen township, where Mr. Beamer is engaged in farming.

The bride is a daughter of Michael Orner, of Gettysburg, but has been living for some time with Mr. and Mrs. Taylor as an adopted daughter. Mr. Beamer is a son of Mrs. Calvin Beamer, of Menallen township.

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Play From Steeple: Shortly before the dawn service in the church on Christmas morning the recently organized St. James orchestra will play Christmas hymns from the steeple. The organization is composed of thirteen musicians as follows: leader, Calvin Gouker; pianist, Miss Alice Miller; violins, Ernest Baker, Eugene Phillips, William Zinkand, Ralph Oyler; cornets, Ernest Ohler, John Raymond; flute, Wilbur Stallsmith; horn, George Hughes; trombone, Edward Dougherty; bass, Ira Plank, and clarinet, A. Z. Rodgers.

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Community Tree: Mrs. H. B. Bender, Mrs. A. B. Plank, Mrs. Waye Keet and Mrs. C. G. Crist, a committee having in hand an effort to secure funds for the erection of a community Christmas tree in Center Square, announced that about $60 will be needed if the project is to be carried out.

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Choose Officers: The following officers were elected by Good Samaritan Lodge F. and A. M., at their meeting Thursday evening, worshipful master, J. Allen Dickson; senior warden, John H. Crowe; junior warden, E. M. Bender; secretary, D. A. Skelly; treasurer, W. T. Ziegler; trustees, J. M. Caldwell, D. A. Skelly and C. W. Myers, and representative of Grand Lodge, Robert Caldwell.

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Personal: Gilbert Jones, who is property man with the Lole Francis Stock company, is spending a week with his mother, Mrs. Minnie Jones.

Mrs. W. J. Ryan, who was the guest last week of Miss Carrie Codori, has returned to Philadelphia.

Mrs. Maurice Ridinger and son have returned to their home on Chambersburg street after a visit with friends in York Springs.

Mrs. George Oyler and daughter, Evalena P. Oyler, are on a three to four weeks trip, visiting friends in Harrisburg and Jersey Shore.

E. P. Miller is at Harrisburg this week attending a meeting of the association of Middle States furniture manufacturers.

Mrs. J. A. Tawney, who had been visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. George R. Pretz, in Lebanon, has returned to Gettysburg.

Mrs. M. R. Hamsher, of York, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Hennig, York street, has returned home.

Congressman-elect Beales has returned from Washington where he heard President Wilson read his message on Tuesday. Mr. Beales was admitted to the House together with other recently elected congressmen.

Miss Anna Kerr, who has been visiting Miss Laura Spangler at her home on Baltimore street, has returned home.

I. Ray Appler, of Lee, Illinois, formerly Sergeant in the Sixth United States Artillery, is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob A. Appler, on East High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tawney, of Steinwehr avenue, are visiting friends in Hanover today.

Miss Edna Wisotzkey, of York, is visiting Miss Ruth Bream at her home on Carlisle street.

Miss Ruth Rupp is visiting friends in Hanover for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wm. Beales, of Carlisle street, announce the birth of a daughter.

Rufus Minnigh, Philadelphia; Mrs. Lyons, Mrs. Hager, Cumberland, Md.; Mrs. R. S. Spangler, and Mrs. C. E. Aughinbaugh, of Harrisburg, attended the funeral of Rufus C. Sheads today.

George Weikert and family, North Stratton street, have gone to Cleveland for a visit of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daugherty, of Reading, are visiting relatives in Gettysburg.

Mrs. R. C. Miller and children, of Baltimore street, are visiting friends in Harrisburg for several days.

Just Folks

by

EDGAR A. GUEST

LEARNING

I like the sort of learning that tells
of birds and flowers
And all the countless splendors that
fill this earth of ours,
But Oh, I fear the wisdom that
must the time employ
To fashion dreadful engines to
slaughter and destroy.

All learning should be gentle and all
we learn should end
In making man the richer to be to
all a friend.
Each mystery discovered should better
what we build,
And make us all the wiser, our
hands a bit more skilled.

Why must our boasted culture be
turned to vicious things,
To spreading desolation and death
with flying wings?
And why must all our wisdom, our
genius and our skill,
Be bent to serve men's hatreds; to
ruin and to kill?

Leningrad Churches Used as Hospitals

Moscow, Dec. 13 (AP)—Churches in Leningrad were converted into military hospitals today as a steady stream of Red army casualties from the Finnish fronts overtaxed the city's regular hospital facilities.

While Tass, Soviet official news agency, distributed without comment Russia's rejection of the League of Nations' mediation offer in the Finnish dispute, newspapers gave glowing reports that Finns welcomed their Russian "liberators" in the army-occupied sections.

Workers in the United States, Britain and Sweden, the newspapers said, welcomed the new communist-headed Finnish "people's government" set up at the border village of Terijoki.

On the diplomatic front, speculation was aroused by the arrival of Dr. Joseph Tiso, president of Slovakia, on an undisclosed mission.

A Red army communique reported Tuesday troops occupied two Finnish villages and the railroad station of a third. The advance was reported to have reached Markajarvi, seven miles southwest of Salla and 45 miles within the frontier of central Finland.

The army announced the occupation of Huntilla (Huunnukka), about 30 miles from the Soviet border on the north bank of Lake Ladoga.

THIEF IN THE HAND

York, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—A little amateur detective work by Paul Sultner produced results—but not for long. Finding several chisels in his yard, Sultner armed himself and kept watch for a would-be housebreaker he was sure would return. His hunch was right. He captured an intruder and marched him toward police headquarters at pistol point. But Sultner's prisoner knocked the gun from his hand and escaped.

ARM OF THE LAW

Bethlehem, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—Souvenir-hunters miscalculated when they tried to snatch a "cop" guarding a public Christmas tree. The "cop" was made of concrete and all the would-be abductors got was one arm.

Today's Talk

By George Matthew Adams

EMPTY HOURS

I HAVE just finished reading a small book about the late E. V. Lucas, the English writer and publisher, by his daughter. I had to send to England for it, and I am glad I did, for it gave me a clearer picture of a man whose writings I have long enjoyed.

Lucas was a great student of Charles Lamb, and wrote the best life that has been written of him. Also, to his credit, are dozens of interesting small books of essays. He lived a busy life and had interesting friends, but what impressed me most in his daughter's story was his energy and the interest that he took in making every hour of the day count for something. He hated empty hours.

The ordinary human being doesn't realize how many hours pass him by without even a greeting from him! And they are gone forever. They never come back.

When I listen to someone else give information I should be able to give, I say to myself that he filled the hour that I let pass empty. To have knowledge is not only power — but fun, as well! The better the background of a man's mind, the more readily is he able to grasp, and understand, events as they appear each day. If you know the past of a man, or a nation, you have something upon which to base a present opinion.

I often think of W. Robertson Nicoll, who was once editor of "The British Weekly." So greatly did he give himself to his paper that J. M. Barrie once said: "He came stalking out of all the pages, meeting every reader face to face." He read thousands of books quickly and intelligently. But the big thing about him was that he was forever encouraging others, especially beginners in writing, and when he had gone from this earth, Barrie said of him: "We will miss him most of all, remembering his thousand kindnesses, his glorious enthusiasms, and the passion of his soul." No empty hours ever left him.

What a grand hour is the last of the day, before retiring! In it may be placed many a happy memory of conversation or reading. Some bedside book should always be handily placed. The last hour of your day should mirror your happiest experiences, and be filled as well with thoughts of gratitude for every blessing.

One Is Beloved

BY FRANCES SHELLEY WEES

YESTERDAY: Sue is deeply shocked when Bob breaks the news to her that Allen has married one of the secretaries in his firm without telling her.

Chapter Nine

PATSY

BOB put his hands on her shoulders and gripped them close.

"If you let Allen down now, you'll never forgive yourself. Think how good he's been to you all these years! Think how he must dread this first meeting between you and his wife—far more than you are dreading it, sweet, believe me! Anyway, it's got to be gone through whether you like is or not. It's up to you to make it a flop or—or something old Allen has a right to expect when he brings his bride home."

She was still for a long moment, her small shoulders lax and drooping in his grasp. Then she freed herself, said with quiet dignity: "Thank you, Bob! I'll behave now."

A quarter of an hour later she left her bedroom at the sound of the opening door. She had changed to a trailing frock of dull red silk whose brief puffed sleeves and round neck exposed her white arms and throat. Bright color burned in her cheeks, and her eyes were very dark and starry.

"Sue, this is my wife!" Allen said quietly. If there was something like genuine panic in his thoughts his manner did not betray it. Bob mentally applauded both the young Davenports. It took real breeding to face a situation like this with such poise.

"My dear!" Sue's hands were held out in welcome to the newcomer, Sue's kiss was given to both bride and groom with nothing but laughing protest at the surprise of it all. "A sister for a Christmas present, Allen dear! And such a pretty sister, too!"

She was panting a little, the slenderly rounded breast rising and falling in an effort to keep herself in hand. Patsy saw nothing, Allen saw nothing; only Bob, what iron control she was exerting; realized and felt his heart almost bursting with admiration for the gallant young creature.

Allen, relieved of his acute apprehensions, relaxed, grew visibly fatuous and pleased with himself and his unannounced marriage.

"I told you so, Patsy! I knew all along it was the best way to do it! Action first and explanations afterwards! Cavalry tactics, eh, Trenton?"

Bob muttered pleasantly if incoherently. Patsy's long gray eyes were roaming swiftly about the firelit room.

"How about having some light in here?" she inquired. "I can hardly see my hand before my face."

Bob obligingly pressed a button and several lamps bloomed forth. In the sudden illumination Sue got her first real look at her brother's wife. Patsy wore a long fur coat with a matching cap which was perched jauntily on masses of ash-blond hair. Her makeup was a trifle heavy, her silk gown a bit too elaborate, but she was undeniably attractive in an odd, exotic sort of way. She was as tall as Allen, far too thin, and the scent of a cluster of gardenias pinned to her coat warred with the expensive French perfume she wore.

All this Sue took in with a sinking heart. This Allen's wife! Allen who should have the best, the finest, the most genuine.

But it couldn't be helped now — it couldn't be helped now, her quick thoughts ran. As Bob had reminded her, such a lot depended on what was said and done this first evening. She exerted herself to throw additional warmth into her voice.

The Holidays

"Make her comfortable, Allen, while I go tell Maggie to add a frill or two in honor of the occasion!" She hurried away, glad of the moment's respite. She was queerly oblivious of the old woman's lack of surprise at the announcement; hardly realized the elaborate meal which was ready and waiting. In a daze she helped set the table, congratulated herself that Bob's velvety red roses were perfect for the occasion, sparkled gaily all through the meal, aided by Bob. The new Mrs. Davenport was very quiet, Allen radiated an almost boyish joy.

When dinner was over Bob took easy command of the situation.

"Go pack a bag with whatever you'll need for a couple of days, Sue. Babs wants you to pay her a little visit while these honeymooners are settling in."

The girl started, caught her breath. It was the first time she had given any thought to the future. This was Allen's house, of course; his money ran it, his wife must come first here. Wave after wave of desolation rolled over her. She felt homeless, unwanted. She glanced at Allen, expecting him to veto Bob's plan, but Allen smiled approvingly.

"Good idea, Trenton! Sue, you don't mind, do you, lamb? A man doesn't bring his wife home every day!"

"I don't mind," she answered dully.

Presently she was beside Bob in the car.

"Drive about a bit and get your bearings?"

She assented, almost wordlessly. She did not even realize when the man stopped his car and went into a drugstore, "for cigarettes, Sue!" that there had been no telephone call from Barbara; that Bob was in there talking to her now, explaining, preparing her for Sue's coming. She was wrapped in a dream of misery and loneliness from which she could not awaken.

The day before Christmas she returned to her brother's house. Allen had insisted that she be there for the holidays.

"It's your home just as much as it ever was, Sis," he told her kindly. "Patsy feels about it as I do, bless her! Lucky the rooms are so big. We've put twin beds in the front room, and moved you in back. You don't mind, do you?"

No, she didn't mind, of course. She didn't mind anything: not Patsy's absurd assumption of haughty superiority, not Allen's infatuated eyes which saw only Patsy, his ears which heard only her somewhat thin and nasal voice; not Maggie's growing irritability at the "bossiness" of her new mistress; not the continual disorder of the lovely big living-room, the reek of strong perfume from the bedroom of the newlyweds. These were all minor hurts which were swallowed up in the major pain which tore her heart. Allen, her brother, her hero, had deceived her. He had been in love with this Patsy person for more than a year.

Worse than that, he had not had the courage to tell his sister himself, but had delegated the duty to one who was not even an old friend.

No Merry Plans

Somehow she lived through Christmas Day, the week that followed. All her merry plans were forgotten, pushed aside by Patsy's own. Patsy had sisters, it appeared; three of them, rather common looking girls, younger than herself and without her striking good looks. They took possession of the apartment with glad cries of appreciation. They teased Allen, laughed at him, borrowed small sums of money from him when Patsy happened to be out.

They came to dinner so frequently that Maggie announced she must have a second girl or she'd "quit." Sue let herself in quietly one afternoon to find Marie, the youngest, trying on Sue's own prettiest evening gown.

"Fits like it was made for me!" she said, unabashed by the owner's arrival. "You're going to let me borrow it for tomorrow night, aren't you, Sue?"

"I am not," was the decisive reply. "You ruined the chiffon you wore last week, my dear, and I told you then never again. Take it off, and be careful how you handle it, Marie, won't you? It's my very most expensive frock for the winter."

"If only Patsy were not so tall," sighed Marie.

"Patsy's thanking her lucky stars she is," was that person's comment. "Not that I'd let you wear anything of mine, any more than Sue will, Marie. A good grade of corduroy is what you need in evening wear.'" She yawned and stretched her arms above her head. "Clear out now, girls. I want to talk to Sue."

"Listen," she began when they had gone. "You and I have got to talk, Sue."

The younger girl's eyes widened. "What about?"

"This." She indicated the room they were in. "We need a guest room, Allen and I. I'd like my sisters to spend the night occasionally, Allen ought to be able to entertain an out-of-town friend if he wants to." Her long eyes narrowed speculatively as they saw Sue flush. "Now don't go off at half-cock," she warned. "I'm not trying to get rid of you. What I want you to do—'" her voice took on a coaxing note—"is to persuade Allen to move; to take a house instead of this apartment. He told me weeks ago that most of the furniture of your old home is eating its head off in storage. Isn't it simply good sense to use it? There's a divine stucco on Ashland—I got the key and went through it yesterday. It would be better to buy it, of course, but Allen won't hear to that. But we could take a long lease."

Sue held on to the arms of her chair. She had a feeling that the very walls of the room were whirling about her.

"What—what does Allen say?"

Patsy's shoulders lifted in a shrug. "Oh, you know what men always say! That he can't possibly afford it; that the whole company is shaving estimates to the bone to meet competition."

"That's true, isn't it?"

"Of course its true. I ought to know, as Mr. Featherstone's private secretary. But Allen carries heavy insurance. He could borrow on that. And there's your money—"

"Mine?"

Continued tomorrow

Party Results In Dinners for 200

New York, Dec. 13 (AP)—A city magistrate's whim that sent Mr. and Mrs. James C. Lewis out to a $65.32 dinner "on the town" pyramided today into 200 Christmas dinners for the poor.

Magistrate Henry H. Curran recently instructed the Lewises to go out and "have a good dinner, the best in town" and sleep at a good hotel, with all expenses paid, after they had complained of construction noises near their home in executive Sutton Place.

They did—and Walter D. Binger, commissioner of public works, reimbursed them.

Then Magistrate Curran reimbursed Binger, and also sent another $65.32 check to the Salvation army. To top it all, the Lewises sent their check, making a total of $130.64.

Salvation army officials said it would provide Yule dinners for 40 families of five persons each. The menu will be substantial, but somewhat different from the Lewis dinner of pressed duck, caviar, and vintage wines.

BURIED ON PEAK

Berkeley, Calif. (AP)—Years ago Dr. Valentine T. McGillycuddy was the first man to climb Harney peak in South Dakota's Black Hills. Now deceased, his ashes will rest on the summit at his own request.

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EXPECT RUSSIA TO HURL LARGE ARMY AT FINNS

Helsinki, Dec 13 (AP)—The Finnish telegraphic agency circulated a report today that Soviet Russia irked by Finland's resistance—is massing 1 500 000 first-line soldiers for a crushing blow

This array of manpower—nearly equal to the male population of Finland and perhaps double the number of men now engaged on both sides of the war—would be supported by 1 000 planes, the agency said

The major thrust, according to the agency, is expected in the Karelian isthmus where Finns, entrenched in the zig zag line of fortifications called the Mannerheim line have fought off Red invaders since the war started 14 days ago

The source of the report was not specified The agency merely said such information had come into its hands

Word of the imminent broadening of the Red campaign followed closely upon a Finnish communique Tuesday reporting Finnish Troops and planes had smashed a large-scale offensive on the Karelian Isthmus and eastern or Lake Ladoga fronts

Apparently the eastern phase of the Russian drive was part of a wide flanking maneuver against the Mannerheim line—an attempt to round Lake Ladoga for an assault on the eastern part of the strong isthmus defenses

The fighting appeared to be some of the war's severest

The enemy launched a powerful attack today along several sectors of the Karelian isthmus the communique said

"Hard fighting took place all day especially on a hill overlooking a church at Muola Almost a constant series of attacks were repulsed the enemy suffering tremendous losses We destroyed many tanks and left hundreds of the fallen enemy lying before our positions

Severe fighting occurred also at the eastern front particularly at Tolvajarvi, and cost the Russians a severe defeat Three enemy battalions were destroyed We captured 27 machine-guns 25 express rifles 13 machine pistols and other material and in addition destroyed several tanks

Near Lolmola the enemy launched several attacks under the cover of artillery fire The attacks were repulsed Elsewhere on the eastern front heavy battles continued

The communique added that the Finnish air force—recently strengthened by British and Italian-made planes—"made numerous reconnoitering flights and bombed and gunned enemy columns and supply bases at many points"

Finnish officials, meanwhile, awaited complete reports on the sinking of a German freighter by a submarine in the Gulf of Bothnia

Several of 29 survivors from the ship identified as the 2,217-ton Bolheim declared upon reaching the Finnish port of Mantyluoto Tuesday that the attacker was a Russian undersea craft There was no positive identification

The captain second officer and radio operator were killed when the submarine fired 15 shells into the vessel

(Lloyd's register lists a German freighter Bolheim 3 324 gross tons engaged in ore trade between northern Africa and the Netherlands before the European war

(A Reuters British news agency dispatch said the freighter was en route from Bjorneborr Finland to Germany carrying 500 tons of wood pulp)

City of Flint May Bring Finnish Refugees to U. S.

Bergen Norway Dec 13 (AP) The odyssey of the City of Flint may end in a voyage to the United States with Finnish refugees

Shipping circles said the American vessel which first sprang into the news with the rescue of survivors from the sunken Athenia September 3 was expected here Saturday from Haugesund Norway, where cargo was discharged

The Flint is to depart again next Monday for an undisclosed northern Norwegian port where informed sources said Finnish refugees would be picked up

Captured by the German raider Deutschland October 9 the Flint was taken to Murmansk, Soviet Russia but upon returning southward was restored to the American crew November 3 when the Norwegian admiralty took command.

The foundation of the currency system of India is the ruppee It is of silver and weighs 180 grains

JAPAN AND REDS TO NEGOTIATE

Tokyo, Dec 13 (AP)—Yakichiro Suma Japanese foreign office spokesman confirmed today that Japan would open negotiations with Soviet Russia January 10 looking toward a trade treaty but said hopes still were held for a new treaty with the United States

Suma admitted the Russian market presently was insufficient to replace that of America but said if she cannot buy from one country Japan should turn to another

He contended that non-existence of a treaty with the United States would be harmful both to Japan and the United States materially and psychologically

Suma declined to say whether he meant Japan would restrict trade with the United States or whether increased tension with the Far East would result He said however trade would be possible under a non-treaty condition

Japan he said is attempting to find constructive ways of adjusting future as well as past relations with the United States regarding China United States Ambassador Joseph C Grew has accused Japan of acts in China inimical to United States interests

We are concentrating on making our attitude clear to the United States Suma said.

The spokesman said Japan hoped to begin talks in Tokyo for a new pact governing Japanese fisheries in Russian waters while trade negotiations were pursued in Moscow and the outer Mongolia-Manchoukuo border was being defined at Chita.

Down to Earth, Professor Makes Low-Cost Houses

Stillwater, Okla (AP)—Prof J E Kirkham of Oklahoma A & M College is Oklahoma's one-man low-cost housing administration

He has found a building material that he says cuts costs about 25 per cent but isn't satisfied

He mixes common soil with chemicals compresses it into building blocks and produces a substance he says "hardens with age and shrugs at inclement weather

Dozens of houses have been built of it Professor Kirkham who seeks no profit has offered his formula to the public in bulletin form

The blocks still cost too much and so I continue to experiment" says Professor Kirkham

The material besides being weather proof is a good insulating material and houses built of it are cool in summer and easy to heat in winter Walls are six inches thick

It lends itself to modernistic treatment and a house of the most modern architecture now is nearing completion here In addition, a 20-room N Y A headquarters is built of Kirkham treated blocks

Professor Kirkham is a practical engineer who specialized in building bridges and then wrote two technical books before settling down to teaching and determining to lower building costs

5 GUILTY OF FRAUD

Pittsburgh Dec 13 (AP)—A federal jury Tuesday convicted five defendants of mail frauds in the "Jacob Baker estate" case but recommended leniency

It was the second conviction for the five They appealed and won a new trial after their first conviction

They are Norman H Blough Davidsville Pa Fred F, and W H C Sprengel and David L Anderson Johnstown, and William S Miller, Indiana, Pa

The conviction covered 10 counts of conspiracy and using the mails to defraud in collecting money from heirs to a non-existent Philadelphia estate which they claimed was founded by Jacob Baker, Revolutionary war hero The government said Baker was a myth

'OH, ELIZABETH!'

Waco, Tex (AP)—Shout Elizabeth at the dormitory Armes of Baylor university and six of the 10 girls who live there will answer

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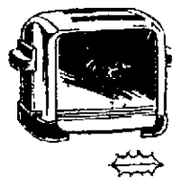
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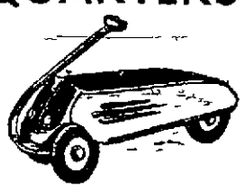
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EXPECT RUSSIA TO HURL LARGE ARMY AT FINNS

Helsinki, Dec. 13 (AP)—The Finnish telegraphic agency circulated a report today that Soviet Russia irked by Finland's resistance—is massing 1,500,000 first-line soldiers for a crushing blow.

This array of manpower—nearly equal to the male population of Finland and perhaps double the number of men now engaged on both sides of the war—would be supported by 1,000 planes, the agency said.

The major thrust, according to the agency, is expected in the Karelian isthmus, where Finns, entrenched in the zig-zag line of fortifications called the Mannerheim line, have fought off Red invaders since the war started 14 days ago.

The source of the report was not specified. The agency merely said such information had come into its hands.

Word of the imminent broadening of the Red campaign followed closely upon a Finnish communique Tuesday reporting Finnish Troops and planes had smashed a large-scale offensive on the Karelian Isthmus and eastern, or Lake Ladoga, fronts.

Apparently the eastern phase of the Russian drive was part of a wide flanking maneuver against the Mannerheim line—an attempt to round Lake Ladoga for an assault on the eastern part of the strong isthmus. defenses.

The fighting appeared to be some of the war's severest.

The enemy launched a powerful attack today along several sectors of the Karelian isthmus," the communique said.

"Hard fighting took place all day, especially on a hill overlooking a church at Muola. Almost a constant series of attacks were repulsed, the enemy suffering tremendous losses. We destroyed many tanks and left hundreds of the fallen enemy lying before our positions.

"Severe fighting occurred also at the eastern front, particularly at Tolvajarvi, and cost the Russians a severe defeat. Three enemy battalions were destroyed. We captured 27 machine-guns, 25 express rifles, 13 machine-pistols and other material and, in addition, destroyed several tanks.

"Near Loimola, the enemy launched several attacks under the cover of artillery fire. The attacks were repulsed. Elsewhere on the eastern front, heavy battles continued."

The communique added that the Finnish air force—recently strengthened by British and Italian-made planes—"made numerous reconnoitering flights and bombed and gunned enemy columns and supply bases at many points."

Finnish officials, meanwhile, awaited complete reports on the sinking of a German freighter by a submarine in the Gulf of Bothnia.

Several of 29 survivors from the ship, identified as the 2,217-ton Bolheim, declared upon reaching the Finnish port of Mantyluoto Tuesday that the attacker was a Russian undersea craft. There was no positive identification.

The captain, second officer and radio operator were killed when the submarine fired 15 shells into the vessel.

(Lloyd's register lists a German freighter Bolheim, 3,324 gross tons, engaged in ore trade between northern Africa and the Netherlands before the European war.

(A Reuters, British news agency, dispatch said the freighter was enroute from Bjorneborz, Finland, to Germany, carrying 500 tons of wood pulp.)

City of Flint May Bring Finnish Refugees to U. S.

Bergen, Norway, Dec. 13 (AP)—The odyssey of the City of Flint may end in a voyage to the United States with Finnish refugees.

Shipping circles said the American vessel, which first sprang into the news with the rescue of survivors from the sunken Athenia September 3, was expected here Saturday from Haugesund, Norway, where cargo was discharged.

The Flint is to depart again next Monday for an undisclosed northern Norwegian port, where informed sources said Finnish refugees would be picked up.

Captured by the German raider Deutschland October 9, the Flint was taken to Murmansk, Soviet Russia, but upon returning southward was restored to the American crew November 3 when the Norwegian admiralty took command.

The foundation of the currency system of India is the ruppee. It is of silver and weighs 180 grains.

JAPAN AND REDS TO NEGOTIATE

Tokyo, Dec. 13 (AP)—Yakichiro Suma, Japanese foreign office spokesman, confirmed today that Japan would open negotiations with Soviet Russia January 10 looking toward a trade treaty, but said hopes still were held for a new treaty with the United States.

Suma admitted the Russian market "presently" was insufficient to replace that of America, but said, "if she cannot buy from one country, Japan should turn to another."

He contended that non-existence of a treaty with the United States would be "harmful both to Japan and the United States, materially and psychologically."

Suma declined to say whether he meant Japan would restrict trade with the United States, or whether increased tension with the Far East would result. He said, however, trade would be possible under a non-treaty condition.

Japan, he said, is attempting to find constructive ways of adjusting "future as well as past relations with the United States" regarding China.

United States Ambassador Joseph C. Grew has accused Japan of acts in China inimical to United States interests.

"We are concentrating on making our attitude clear to the United States, Suma said.

The spokesman said Japan hoped to begin talks in Tokyo for a new pact governing Japanese fisheries in Russian waters, while trade negotiations were pursued in Moscow, and the outer Mongolia-Manchoukuo border was being defined at Chita.

Down to Earth, Professor Makes Low-Cost Houses

Stillwater, Okla. (AP)—Prof. J. E. Kirkham of Oklahoma A. & M. College is Oklahoma's one-man low-cost housing administration.

He has found a building material that he says cuts costs about 25 per cent but isn't satisfied.

He mixes common soil with chemicals, compresses it into building blocks and produces a substance he says "hardens with age and shrugs at inclement weather."

Dozens of houses have been built of it. Professor Kirkham, who seeks no profit, has offered his formula to the public in bulletin form.

"The blocks still cost too much and so I continue to experiment," says Professor Kirkham.

The material, besides being weather proof, is a good insulating material and houses built of it are cool in summer and easy to heat in winter. Walls are six inches thick.

It lends itself to modernistic treatment and a house of the most modern architecture now is nearing completion here. In addition, a 20-room N.Y.A. headquarters is built of Kirkham treated blocks.

Professor Kirkham is a practical engineer who specialized in building bridges and then wrote two technical books before settling down to teaching and determining to lower building costs.

5 GUILTY OF FRAUD

Pittsburgh, Dec. 13 (AP)—A federal jury Tuesday convicted five defendants of mail frauds in the "Jacob Baker estate" case but recommended leniency.

It was the second conviction for the five. They appealed and won a new trial after their first conviction.

They are Norman H. Blough, Davidsville, Pa.; Fred P. and W. H. C. Sprengel and David L. Anderson, Johnstown, and William S. Miller, Indiana, Pa.

The conviction covered 10 counts of conspiracy and using the mails to defraud in collecting money from "heirs" to a non-existent Philadelphia estate which they claimed was founded by Jacob Baker, Revolutionary war hero. The government said Baker was a myth.

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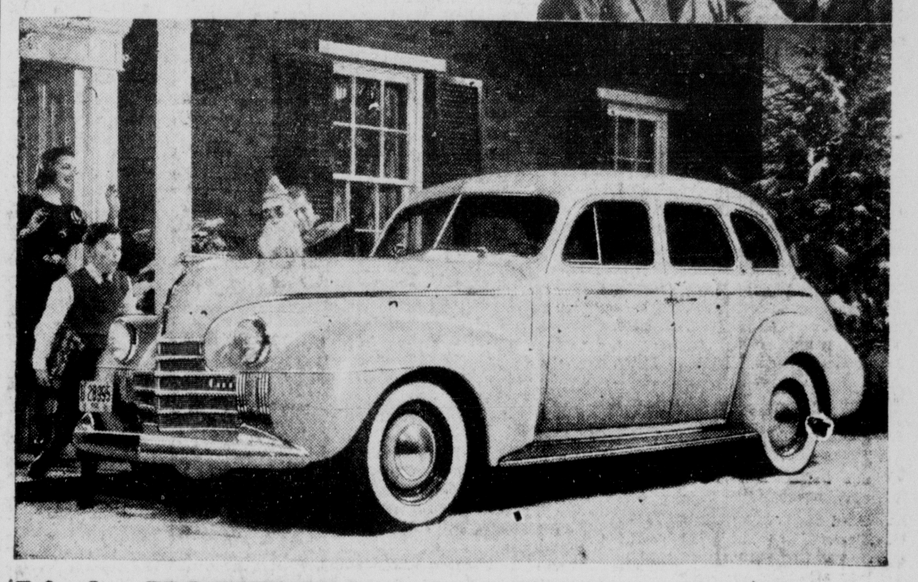

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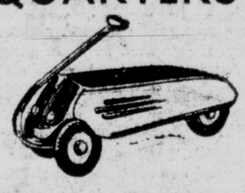

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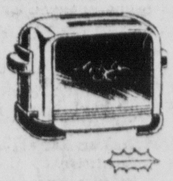

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An Evening Thought

There is no greater wisdom than well to time the beginning and outsets of things.—Bacon.

Out of the Past

Happening of days gone by as chronicled in The Star and Sentinel and The Gettysburg Times the files reveal.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Veterans Elect: At a meeting of Corporal Skelly Post 9, G. A. R., on Saturday, William T. Ziegler was re-elected commander. This makes Mr. Ziegler's third consecutive term and he was also commander in 1873, the year after the founding of the Post. Other officers elected were: Senior vice commander, Harry Lott; junior vice commander, Jacob Herbst; adjutant, Hanson Lightner.

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Lodge of Sorrow by Local Elks: An audience that filled Walter's Theatre attended the annual lodge of sorrow on Sunday afternoon by the Gettysburg Elks in memory of their departed brothers, nine of whom have died since the founding of the order.

The oration was delivered by Hon. William McSherry, who spoke particularly of Mr. John J. Eberhart, the only member who died during the past year.

The musical program was in charge of a Carlisle quartet. Miss Minnie Lohr was the accompanist.

The invocation and benediction were pronounced by Dr. T. C. Billheimer.

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Two Couples Married: Paul Edward Stahley, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Stahley, West Middle street, and Miss Flora Bell Baumgardner, also of Gettysburg, were married in Frederick Saturday by Dr. E. H. Lamar.

Miss Jessie V. Shirley, of Fairfield, and George D. Naugle, of Mont Alto, were married by Dr. E. H. Lamar, in Frederick, on Saturday.

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Beamer-Orner: At half past eleven o'clock on Thursday morning the wedding of Miss May E. Orner and Alvin A. Beamer took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hanson W. Taylor, near Arendtsville. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. C. Hesson.

The wedding march was played by Miss Ruth Klepper. They will reside in Menallen township, where Mr. Beamer is engaged in farming.

The bride is a daughter of Michael Orner, of Gettysburg, but has been living for some time with Mr. and Mrs. Taylor as an adopted daughter. Mr. Beamer is a son of Mrs. Calvin Beamer, of Menallen township.

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Play From Steeple: Shortly before the dawn service in the church on Christmas morning the recently organized St. James orchestra will play Christmas hymns from the steeple. The organization is composed of thirteen musicians as follows: leader, Calvin Gouker; pianist, Miss Alice Miller; violins, Ernest Baker, Eugene Phillips, William Zinkand, Ralph Oyler; cornets, Ernest Ohler, John Raymond; flute, Wilbur Stallsmith; horn, George Hughes; trombone, Edward Doughty; bass, Ira Plank, and clarinet, A. Z. Rodgers.

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Community Tree: Mrs. H. B. Bender, Mrs. A. B. Plank, Mrs. Hugh Keet and Mrs. C. G. Crist, a committee having in hand an effort to secure funds for the erection of a community Christmas tree in Center Square, announced that about $60 will be needed if the project is to be carried out.

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Choose Officers: The following officers were elected by Good Samaritan Lodge P. and A. M., at their meeting Thursday evening, worshipful master, J. Allen Dickson; senior warden, John H. Crowe; junior warden, E. M. Bender; secretary, D. A. Skelly; treasurer, W. T. Ziegler; trustees, J. M. Caldwell, D. A. Skelly and C. W. Myers, and representative of Grand Lodge, Robert Caldwell.

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Personal: Gilbert Jones, who is property man with the Lole Francis Stock company, is spending a week with his mother, Mrs. Minnie Jones.

Mrs. W. J. Ryan, who was the guest last week of Miss Carrie Codori, has returned to Philadelphia.

Mrs. Maurice Ridinger and son have returned to their home on Chambersburg street after a visit with friends in York Springs.

Mrs. George Oyler and daughter, Evalena P. Oyler, are on a three to four weeks trip, visiting friends in Harrisburg and Jersey Shore.

E. P. Miller is at Harrisburg this week attending a meeting of the association of Middle States furniture manufacturers.

Mrs. J. A. Tawney, who had been visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. George R. Pretz, in Lebanon, has returned to Gettysburg.

Mrs. M. R. Hamsher, of York, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Hennig, York street, has returned home.

Congressman-elect Beales has returned from Washington where he heard President Wilson read his message on Tuesday. Mr. Beales was admitted to the House together with other recently elected congressmen.

Miss Anna Kerr, who has been visiting Miss Laura Spangler at her home on Baltimore street, has returned home.

I. Ray Appler, of Lee, Illinois, formerly Sergeant in the Sixth United States Artillery, is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob A. Appler, on East High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tawney, of Steinwehr avenue, are visiting friends in Hanover today.

Miss Edna Wisotzkey, of York, is visiting Miss Ruth Bream at her home on Carlisle street.

Miss Ruth Rupp is visiting friends in Hanover for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wm. Beales, of Carlisle street, announce the birth of a daughter.

Rufus Minnigh, Philadelphia; Mrs. Lyons, Mrs. Hager, Cumberland, Md.; Mrs. R. S. Spangler, and Mrs. C. E. Aughinbaugh, of Harrisburg, attended the funeral of Rufus C. Sheads today.

George Weikert and family, North Stratton street, have gone to Cleveland for a visit of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daugherty, of Reading, are visiting relatives in Gettysburg.

Mrs. R. C. Miller and children, of Baltimore street, are visiting friends in Harrisburg for several days.

Just Folks

by

EDGAR A. GUEST

LEARNING

I like the sort of learning that tells
of birds and flowers
And all the countless splendors that
fill this earth of ours.
But Oh, I fear the wisdom that
must the time employ
To fashion dreadful engines to
slaughter and destroy.

All learning should be gentle and all
we learn should end
In making man the richer to be to
all a friend.
Each mystery discovered should bet-
ter what we build,
And make us all the wiser, our
hands a bit more skilled.

Why must our boasted culture be
turned to vicious things,
To spreading desolation and death
with flying wings?
And why must all our wisdom, our
genius and our skill,
Be bent to serve men's hatreds; to
ruin and to kill?

Leningrad Churches Used as Hospitals

Moscow, Dec. 13 (AP)—Churches in Leningrad were converted into military hospitals today as a steady stream of Red army casualties from the Finnish fronts overtaxed the city's regular hospital facilities.

While Tass, Soviet official news agency, distributed without comment Russia's rejection of the League of Nations' mediation offer in the Finnish dispute, newspapers gave glowing reports that Finns welcomed their Russian "liberators" in the army-occupied sections.

Workers in the United States, Britain and Sweden, the newspapers said, welcomed the new communist-headed Finnish "people's government" set up at the border village of Terijoki.

On the diplomatic front, speculation was aroused by the arrival of Dr. Joseph Tiso, president of Slovakia, on an undisclosed mission.

A Red army communique reported Tuesday troops occupied two Finnish villages and the railroad station of a third. The advance was reported to have reached Markajarvi, seven miles southwest of Salla and 45 miles within the frontier of central Finland.

The army announced the occupation of Huntilla (Huunnukka), about 30 miles from the Soviet border on the north bank of Lake Ladoga.

THIEF IN THE HAND

York, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—A little amateur detective work by Paul Sultner produced results—but not for long. Finding several chisels in his yard, Sultner armed himself and kept watch for a would-be housebreaker he was sure would return. His hunch was right. He captured an intruder and marched him toward police headquarters at pistol point. But Sultner's prisoner knocked the gun from his hand and escaped.

ARM OF THE LAW

Bethlehem, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—Souvenir-hunters miscalculated when they tried to snatch a "cop" guarding a public Christmas tree. The "cop" was made of concrete and all the would-be abductors got was one arm.

Today's Talk

—By George Matthew Adams—

EMPTY HOURS

I HAVE just finished reading a small book about the late E. V. Lucas, the English writer and publisher, by his daughter. I had to send to England for it, and I am glad I did, for it gave me a clearer picture of a man whose writings I have long enjoyed.

Lucas was a great student of Charles Lamb, and wrote the best life that has been written of him. Also, to his credit, are dozens of interesting small books of essays. He lived a busy life and had interesting friends, but what impressed me most in his daughter's story was his energy and the interest that he took in making every hour of the day count for something. He hated empty hours.

The ordinary human being doesn't realize how many hours pass him by without even a greeting from him! And they are gone forever. They never come back.

When I listen to someone else give information I should be able to give, I say to myself that he filled the hour that I let pass empty. To have knowledge is not only power — but fun, as well! The better the background of a man's mind, the more readily is he able to grasp, and understand, events as they appear each day. If you know the past of a man, or a nation, you have something upon which to base a present opinion.

I often think of W. Robertson Nicoll, who was once editor of "The British Weekly." So greatly did he give himself to his paper that J. M. Barrie once said: "He came stalking out of all the pages, meeting every reader face to face." He read thousands of books quickly and intelligently. But the big thing about him was that he was forever encouraging others, especially beginners in writing, and when he had gone from this earth, Barrie said of him: "We will miss him most of all, remembering his thousand kindnesses, his glorious enthusiasms, and the passion of his soul." No empty hours ever left him.

What a grand hour is the last of the day, before retiring! In it may be placed many a happy memory of conversation or reading. Some bedside book should always be handily placed. The last hour of your day should mirror your happiest experiences, and be filled as well with thoughts of gratitude for every blessing.

One Is Beloved

—BY FRANCES SHELLEY WEES—

YESTERDAY: Sue is deeply shocked when Bob breaks the news to her that Allen has married one of the secretaries in his firm without telling her.

Chapter Nine

PATSY

BOB put his hands on her shoulders and gripped them close.

"If you let Allen down now, you'll never forgive yourself. Think how good he's been to you all these years! Think how he must dread this first meeting between you and his wife—far more than you are dreading it, sweet, believe me! Anyway, it's got to be gone through whether you like is or not. It's up to you to make it a flop or—or something old Allen has a right to expect when he brings his bride home."

She was still for a long moment, her small shoulders lax and drooping in his grasp. Then she freed herself, said with quiet dignity: "Thank you, Bob! I'll behave now."

A quarter of an hour later she left her bedroom at the sound of the opening door. She had changed to a trailing frock of dull red silk whose brief puffed sleeves and round neck exposed her white arms and throat. Bright color burned in her cheeks, and her eyes were very dark and starry.

"Sue, this is my wife!" Allen said quietly. If there was something like genuine panic in his thoughts his manner did not betray it. Bob mentally applauded both the young Davenports. It took real breeding to face a situation like this with such poise.

"My dear!" Sue's hands were held out in welcome to the newcomer, Sue's kiss was given to both bride and groom with nothing but laughing protest at the surprise of it all. "A sister for a Christmas present, Allen dear! And such a pretty sister, too!"

She was panting a little, the slenderly rounded breast rising and falling in an effort to keep herself in hand. Patsy saw nothing, Allen saw nothing; only Bob what iron control she was exerting; realized and felt his heart almost bursting with admiration for the gallant young creature.

Allen, relieved of his acute apprehensions, relaxed, grew visibly fatuous and pleased with himself and his unannounced marriage.

"I told you so, Patsy! I knew all along it was the best way to do it! Action first and explanations afterwards! Cavalry tactics, eh, Trenton?"

Bob muttered pleasantly if incoherently. Patsy's long gray eyes were roaming swiftly about the firelit room.

"How about having some light in here?" she inquired. "I can hardly see my hand before my face."

Bob obligingly pressed a button and several lamps bloomed forth. In the sudden illumination Sue got her first real look at her brother's wife. Patsy wore a long fur coat with a matching cap which was perched jauntily on masses of ash-blond hair. Her makeup was a trifle heavy, her silk gown a bit too elaborate, but she was undeniably attractive in an odd, exotic sort of way. She was as tall as Allen, far too thin, and the scent of a cluster of gardenias pinned to her coat warred with the expensive French perfume she wore.

All this Sue took in with a sinking heart. This Allen's wife! Allen who should have the best, the finest, the most genuine.

But it couldn't be helped now — it couldn't be helped now, her quick thoughts ran. As Bob had reminded her, such a lot depended on what was said and done this first evening. She exerted herself to throw additional warmth into her voice.

The Holidays

"Make her comfortable, Allen, while I go tell Maggie to add a frill or two in honor of the occasion!" She hurried away, glad of the moment's respite. She was queerly oblivious of the old woman's lack of surprise at the announcement; hardly realized the elaborate meal which was ready and waiting. In a daze she helped set the table, congratulated herself that Bob's velvety red roses were perfect for the occasion, sparkled gaily all through the meal, aided by Bob. The new Mrs. Davenport was very quiet, Allen radiated an almost boyish joy.

When dinner was over Bob took easy command of the situation.

"Go pack a bag with whatever you'll need for a couple of days, Sue. Babs wants you to pay her a little visit while these honeymooners are settling in."

The girl started, caught her breath. It was the first time she had given any thought to the future. This was Allen's house, of course; his money ran it, his wife must come first here. Wave after wave of desolation rolled over her. She felt homeless, unwanted. She glanced at Allen, expecting him to veto Bob's plan, but Allen smiled approvingly.

"Good idea, Trenton! Sue, you don't mind, do you, lamb? A man doesn't bring his wife home every day!"

"I don't mind," she answered dully.

Presently she was beside Bob in the car.

"Drive about a bit and get your bearings?"

She assented, almost wordlessly. She did not even realize when the man stopped his car and went into a drugstore. "For cigarettes, Sue!" that there had been no telephone call from Barbara; that Bob was in there talking to her now, explaining, preparing her for Sue's coming. She was wrapped in a dream of misery and loneliness from which she could not awaken.

The day before Christmas she returned to her brother's house. Allen had insisted that she be there for the holidays.

"It's your home just as much as it ever was, Sis," he told her kindly. "Patsy feels about it as I do, bless her! Lucky the rooms are so big. We've put twin beds in the front room, and moved you in back. You don't mind, do you?"

No, she didn't mind, of course. She didn't mind anything: not Patsy's absurd assumption of haughty superiority, not Allen's infatuated eyes which saw only Patsy, his ears which heard only her somewhat thin and nasal voice; not Maggie's growing irritability at the "bossiness" of her new mistress; not the continual disorder of the lovely big living-room, the reek of strong perfume from the bedroom of the newlyweds. These were all minor hurts which were swallowed up in the major pain which tore her heart. Allen, her brother, her hero, had deceived her. He had been in love with this Patsy person for more than a year.

Worse than that, he had not had the courage to tell his sister himself, but had delegated the duty to one who was not even an old friend.

No Merry Plans

Somehow she lived through Christmas Day, the week that followed. All her merry plans were forgotten, pushed aside by Patsy's loving. Patsy had sisters, it appeared; three of them, rather common looking girls, younger than herself and without her striking good looks. They took possession of the apartment with glad cries of appreciation. They teased Allen, laughed at him, borrowed small sums of money from him when Patsy happened to be out.

They came to dinner so frequently that Maggie announced she must have a second girl or she'd "quit." Sue let herself in quietly one afternoon to find Marie, the youngest, trying on Sue's own prettiest evening gown.

"Fits like it was made for me!" she said, unabashed by the owner's arrival. "You're going to let me borrow it for tomorrow night, aren't you, Sue?"

"I am not," was the decisive reply. "You ruined the chiffon you wore last week, my dear, and I told you then never again. Take it off, and be careful how you handle it, Marie, won't you? It's my very most expensive frock for the winter."

"If only Patsy were not so tall," sighed Marie.

"Patsy's thanking her lucky stars she is," was that person's comment. "Not that I'd let you wear anything of mine, any more than Sue will, Marie. A good grade of corduroy is what you need in evening wear." She yawned and stretched her arms above her head. "Clear out now, girls, I want to talk to Sue."

"Listen," she began when they had gone. "You and I have got to talk, Sue."

The younger girl's eyes widened. "What about?"

"This." She indicated the room they were in. "We need a guest room, Allen and I. I'd like my sisters to spend the night occasionally, Allen ought to be able to entertain an out-of-town friend if he wants to." Her long eyes narrowed speculatively as they saw Sue flush. "Now don't go off at half-cock," she warned. "I'm not trying to get rid of you. What I want you to do—" her voice took on a coaxing note—"is to persuade Allen to move; to take a house instead of this apartment. He told me weeks ago that most of the furniture of your old home is eating its head off in storage. Isn't it simply good sense to use it? There's a divine stucco on Ashland—I got the key and went through it yesterday. It would be better to buy it, of course, but Allen won't hear to that. But we could take a long lease."

Sue held on to the arms of her chair. She had a feeling that the very walls of the room were whirling about her.

"What—what does Allen say?"

Patsy's shoulders lifted in a shrug. "Oh, you know what men always say! That he can't possibly afford it; that the whole company is shaving estimates to the bone to meet competition."

"That's true, isn't it?"

"Of course its true. I ought to know, as Mr. Featherstone's private secretary. But Allen carries heavy insurance. He could borrow on that. And there's your money—"

"Mine?"

Continued tomorrow

Party Results In Dinners for 200

New York, Dec. 13 (AP)—A city magistrate's whim that sent Mr. and Mrs. James C. Lewis out to a $65.32 dinner "on the town" pyramided today into 200 Christmas dinners for the poor.

Magistrate Henry H. Curran recently instructed the Lewises to go out and "have a good dinner, the best in town" and sleep at a good hotel, with all expenses paid, after they had complained of construction noises near their home in executive Sutton Place.

They did—and Walter D. Binger, commissioner of public works, reimbursed them.

Then Magistrate Curran reimbursed Binger, and also sent another $65.32 check to the Salvation army. To top it all, the Lewises sent their check, making a total of $130.64.

Salvation army officials said it would provide Yule dinners for 40 families of five persons each. The menu will be substantial, but somewhat different from the Lewis dinner of pressed duck, caviar, and vintage wines.

BURIED ON PEAK

Berkeley, Calif. (AP)—Years ago Dr. Valentine T. McGillycuddy was the first man to climb Harney peak in South Dakota's Black Hills. Now deceased, his ashes will rest on the summit at his own request.

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Third and fourth grades—Charles Entenmenn, Thomas Izer, Kenneth McCleaf, Mary Jean Metz, Barbara Musselman, Bobby Scott, Clair Sites, William Sites, David Musselman, Lawrence Kuykendall, Gene Dolly, Amy Moritz, Joellen Kepner, Richard Weikert, Thomas Sanders, Freddie Myers, Betty Mae Singley, Dorothy Jean McCleaf, Calvin McGlaughlin and Helen Nintle. Mrs. Fannie Marks is the teacher.

Seventh and eighth grades—Billy Izer, Wayne Kuykendall, Robert Neely, Martha Flemming, Frances McCleaf, Agnes Neely, Floyd Currens, Thomas Metz, Calvin Sanders, Dale Weikert, Barbara Izer, Kathryn Kepner, Mae Kuykendall, Grace Musselman, Dorothy Weikert, Walter Bigham and Junior Bigham. Myles Deardorff is the teacher.

Fifth and sixth grades—Curtis Shindledecker, Richard Sites, Andrew Strausbaugh, Darrel Wolf, Edwin Currens, Edward Dick, Mary Carson, Hilda Hadley, Caroline Kepner, Esther Ketterman, Ethel Ketterman, Betty Musselman, Laura Sell, Theresa Herring, Betty Kepner, Louise Sites, Charlotte Strausbaugh, Faye Sites Mary Sites, Kathryn Slaybaugh, Eugene Carey, Robert Carson, Harry Musselman, William Scott, Lewis Sheely, Dale Shultz, Thomas Steinberger, George Swisher, Mary Kathryn Bennett, Hazel Kuykendall, Anna Sites and Armatha Weikert. Mrs. Margaret Kepner is the teacher.

Mrs. Samuel Musselman and sons, Ray, David and Samuel, Jr., spent Saturday in Carlisle.

Miss Lois Brubaker, Grantham, was the guest of Miss Martha Fleming over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jordon, Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Myers and son, of Annapolis, Maryland, and Bert Winger, Grantham, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Fleming, Saturday evening.

Mrs. David Sanders spent Saturday with relatives in Hagerstown.

Files 60th Plea for Writ of Habeas Corpus

Baltimore, Dec. 13 (AP).—For the sixtieth time in six years Louis Berman hoped today the correspondence law course he studied in a prison cell would lead to freedom from a life term of murder.

Under a statute permitting him to seek a writ of habeas corpus from every circuit judge in the state at least once, he filed his petition before Judge William Loker, of St. Mary's county. The previous 59 attempts were unsuccessful, but each time the state provided a car, chauffeur and guard to take him to court from the Maryland penitentiary in Baltimore.

"I don't want to deny any man the right of habeas corpus," said Willis R. Jones, chairman of the board of correction, "but Berman is abusing the law. I've tried to talk to him but he doesn't seem amenable. He doesn't have any respect for the decisions rendered by the courts."

Berman was sentenced in 1928.

BREAK FOR SOUTHPAWS

State College, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—Southpaws will get an unaccustomed break when the nine new buildings at Pennsylvania State college are opened. About 250 of the 5,000 new classroom seats are made to order for them—with left handed tablet arms. Officials report about five per cent of the 6,600 students are left handed.

NO TIME FOR THANKS

Williamsport, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—A dog freed by Boy Scouts from four days' imprisonment in a culvert didn't stop to thank its rescuers. The Scouts fed and watered the dog, whose wimpers had attracted seven-year-old Richard Smith, but it bounded away as soon as they moved away stones blocking the culvert entrance.

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Santa and the Talking Doll

—BY SIGRID ARNE—

THE STORY SO FAR: Santa has taken a gift to the King of Westphalia, a doll made by the fairies so she can talk after midnight. Eric, the son of Lightning, who wanted the doll, has been put to sleep for a day and a night by the fairies.

Chapter Nine

The Glass Man

FOR an hour that night Leezen sat silently watching the King of Westphalia. He stared motionless into the leaping fire. It was so silent in the great hall that Leezen could hear the soft swish of snow against the windows. She reached for a little gold box on the table and opened it. There lay a flashing sapphire.

She held it up to the fire, and turned it in the light so that pink lights darted from it. "Oh, I wish Eric could see this," she thought. Then the stone felt queer in her fingers. She looked sharply, and as she did, it turned into a little man, only two inches high. He seemed to be made of blue-white glass. He bowed.

"Why, who are you?" whispered Leezen.

"I'm just a thought some one is thinking of you," said the little man. "Usually I lie asleep in that sapphire. But when anyone picks me up I can reflect the thought of a friend."

"I see," said Leezen. "But who is thinking of me?"

"Look," said the little man. He pulled out a tiny flute, no bigger than a pin, and began to play, "Leezen, Lee-zen."

"It's Eric," said Leezen with shining eyes.

A Sad Tune

The little glass man played on but he played so softly only Leezen heard. She whispered, "How is Eric?" Then the little man played a very sad tune. "Oh, dear," sighed Leezen. "I must escape from here and find him."

She put the little man back into the gold box and as she closed the lid over him he disappeared and only the round sapphire lay there. Then she rose from her chair so cautiously the King didn't notice her. She backed away from him and into the far shadows of the great hall where she found a wide staircase lit by candles. So she tripped silently down them and came out on a court yard where there stood two guardsmen dressed in armor with crimson plumes waving from their helmet. They leaned on their spears. Along the top of the court yard wall great flares of light burned. An iron gate opened onto the road.

Leezen hid behind a pillar to watch because she wanted to take one of the horses tied near the gate. Then she saw the guardsmen walk over to stand under one of the flares. They bent to look at the hilt of a fine sword.

Quick as a breeze Leezen slipped across the court yard. In a twinkling she was on a big white horse and he was galloping out of the court yard, onto the drawbridge, and down the road.

She leaned over to whisper to the horse, "Quick, To Toyland before dawn for then I become like a stone." The horse pricked up his ears and sped. The strong white horse ran and ran until his eyes were red. But it was many, many miles to Toyland, and the woods grew deeper and more lonesome.

After the two had ridden through tall pine trees for three or four hours Leezen saw two bright spots by the side of the rode. It was the glowing eyes of a young wolf that had just awaked and was stretching himself. Then she saw an old crow on the branch of a pine tree take his head out from under his wing and yawn. He cackled after them, "Who are you, who are you?"

"Oh, dear," sighed Leezen. "it's near dawn." She leaned over the horse and whispered, "Faster, faster."

He pulled his muscles tauter. His steps became great leaps. But try as he would he was still galloping through the woods when the sun sent out its first streak of pink.

"Wait," shouted Leezen. The horse pulled up short. She slipped to the ground and ran into the wodos. At the foot of a great tree she stopped. She was only a lifeless doll that couldn't see nor hear nor talk. The horse whinnied with fright and galloped off. Leezen was alone and lost.

TOMORROW: Three trolls steal Leezen.

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Former Ohio Governor Buys Atlanta Newspaper

Atlanta, Dec. 13 (AP)—The Atlanta Journal and its radio station W. S. B. functioned under ownership of Ohio's former Governor James M. Cox today, after nearly 40 years of control by James R. Gray, Sr., and his heirs.

Editor James R. Gray, Jr., in a statement Tuesday announced the sale—at an undisclosed price—of the newspaper, the 50,000-watt W. S. B. and W. E. G. G., W. S. B.'s portable relay unit.

Gray said a factor in the decision to sell the 57-year-old newspaper was the "difficulties inherent in" division of control among several heirs following the death of the elder Gray and the prospective further division as shares pass to the third generation.

Cox, 1920 democratic presidential nominee, confirmed the purchase in Miami, Florida, but made no immediate statement on his plans for operation of the properties.

The newspaper early became a member of the Associated Press and in 1894 was enthusiastically supporting this organization. It was one of the charter members of the Associated Press wirephoto network.

ORCHIDS FOR PROSECUTOR

Warren, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—District Attorney Joseph A. Goldstein is being congratulated on his record for the past year. Pleas have been obtained from all law violators without a criminal trial in county court. Jurors summoned for each term have been notified not to appear. Savings to the county have been great since it costs about $300 daily to hold court.

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The line said the Bremen docked today at noon, German time, and that another liner, the New York, whose position was not definitely known in this country, had reached Hamburg safely. The New York also had been at Murmansk.

The 51,731-ton Bremen, delayed here several days before the outbreak of the war while customs agents searched for contraband, sailed from New York August 30.

STEER RUNS AMOK

Pitcairn, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—A black steer from Ohio apparently didn't like taking his last ride to the F. A. Kline packing company. He jumped out of a truck, butted a company employe, frightened scores of school children and raced six miles to Trafford City and back before being brought down with a deer rifle.

TRAFFIC JAM

Reading, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—Impatient motorists honked horns behind an automobile halted at a street intersection. The signal changed. A policeman shouted, then investigated. Behind the wheel he found Albert Boltz, dead of a heart ailment.

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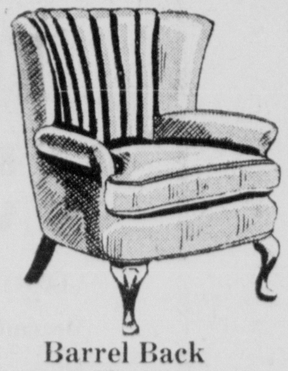

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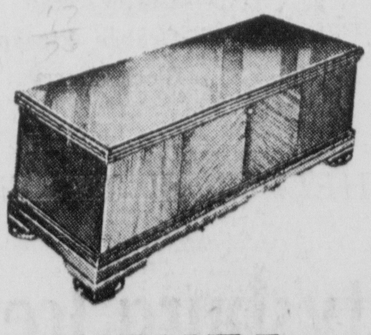

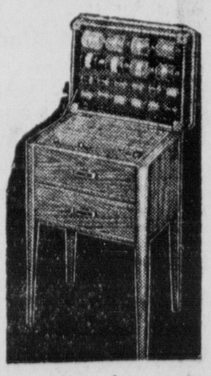

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Barley	.50
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Butter	.36

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BUTTER—Top grades, 31½a35¼c.; 92 score, 30½a31½c.; 91 score, 30½c.; 90 score, 29⅞c.; 89 score, 28¼c.; 88 score, 27⅞c.

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Baltimore

CATTLE—150. Hardly enough of any one class to make market test. Few canner, cutter and common cows from $3.50a5.25; steady with Monday. Fat cows, Monday, mostly $5.50a6.00; good weighty heifer types to $6.50, an individual or so above. Bulk steer sales, $8.35a9.15; few lots of good yearlings, $9.50a10.25; small lot of good and choice, $10.50; low medium and common, $7.50a8.25. Sausage bulls, $6.25a7.25.

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HOGS—250. Market steady with Monday. Practical top, $6. Good and choice, 120-210 pounds, $5.75a6.00; 220-240 pounds, $5.55a5.80; 250-300 pounds, $5.20a5.60. Packing sows, under 400 pounds, $4.75a5.00; weightier sows, mainly $4.50a4.75.

Above prices based on grainfed hogs.

SHEEP—75. Few lots of good and choice grade ewe and wether lambs steady with Monday at $10.25a10.85; common and mediums, $7.60a9.00. Fat slaughter ewes quoted at $4.00a4.50.

LIVE POULTRY

Receipts light. Market dull.

CHICKENS—Rocks, 15a17c., few higher; crosses, 14a16c.; mixed colors, 14a16c.; ordinary lots, all kinds, 10a13c.

FOWL—Rocks, 16a17c.; mixed colors, 15a17c.; small size, 10a14c.; Leghorns, 10a12c. Roosters, mixed colors, 10a12c.; Leghorns, 7a10c.

DUCKS—Young, Pekin, 5 lbs. and over, 13a16c.; Muscovys, whites, 13a16c.; mixed colors, 10a12c.

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FRUIT

APPLES—Mkt. dull. Truck rects. mod. Truck—Md., Pa., Va., W. Va., Ind. bas. U. S. 1s, 2½-in. min., Delicious, $1.15a1.35, full ripe, 75a90c.; Staymans, good color, 80a90c., fair color, 60a75c.; Yorks, Hubardstons, Maiden Blush and Black Twigs, 60a75c.; Winter Bananas & Starks, 50a65c. Various Fal IVarieties, U. S. 1s, 2¼-in. min., U. S. Commer. and unclas., 35a50c. Bushel boxes: N. Y., U. S. 1s, 2½-in. min., Delicious, $1.15a1.25, few higher; McIntosh, best, $1.25a1.35, poorer, 90c.a$1.

OPPOSE SALARY TAX

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3 Killed in Train-Car Crash in Meyersdale

Meyersdale, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—Three Pennsylvanians met death in the collision of their automobile with the crack Baltimore and Ohio Ambassador limited on Main street here Tuesday night.

Victims were identified by Coroner F. E. Sass as Andrew L. Mack, 26, MacDonaldton, and Gerald L. Mahan, 25, and Milton E. Weimer, 27, both of Berlin, Pa.

Engineer R. D. Bolton, of Pittsburgh, reported the train was traveling about 40 miles an hour when he saw the automobile drive into its path. The locomotive carried the wreckage more than 1,000 feet. Considerable delay was caused the Baltimore to Detroit train.

Mahan and Mack were employes of the express highway being constructed between Pittsburgh and Harrisburg. Mahan, a former resident of McKeesport, Pa., leaves a widow and child. The other victims were unmarried.

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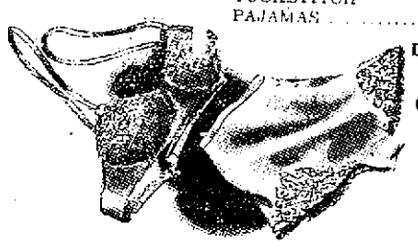

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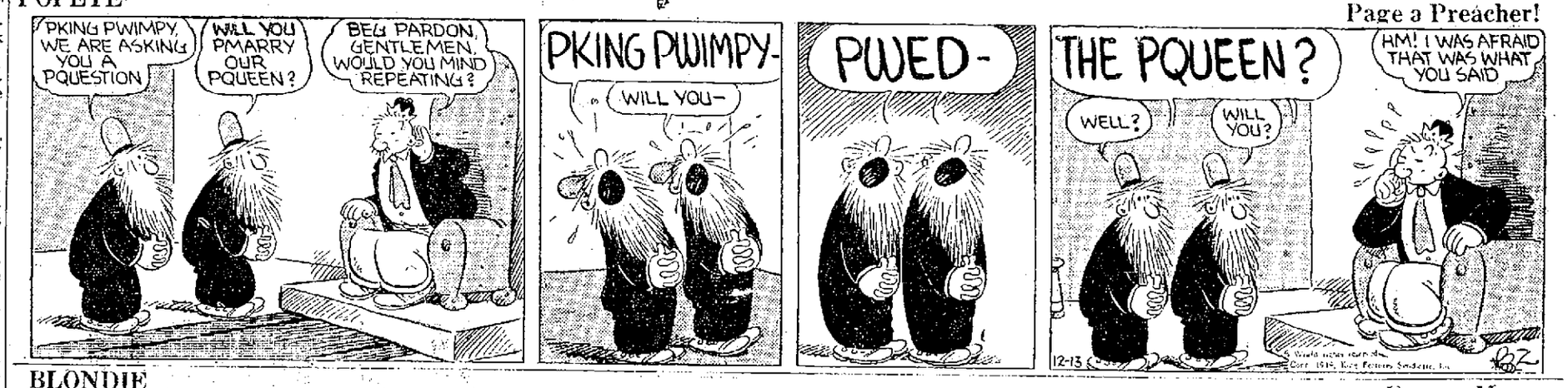

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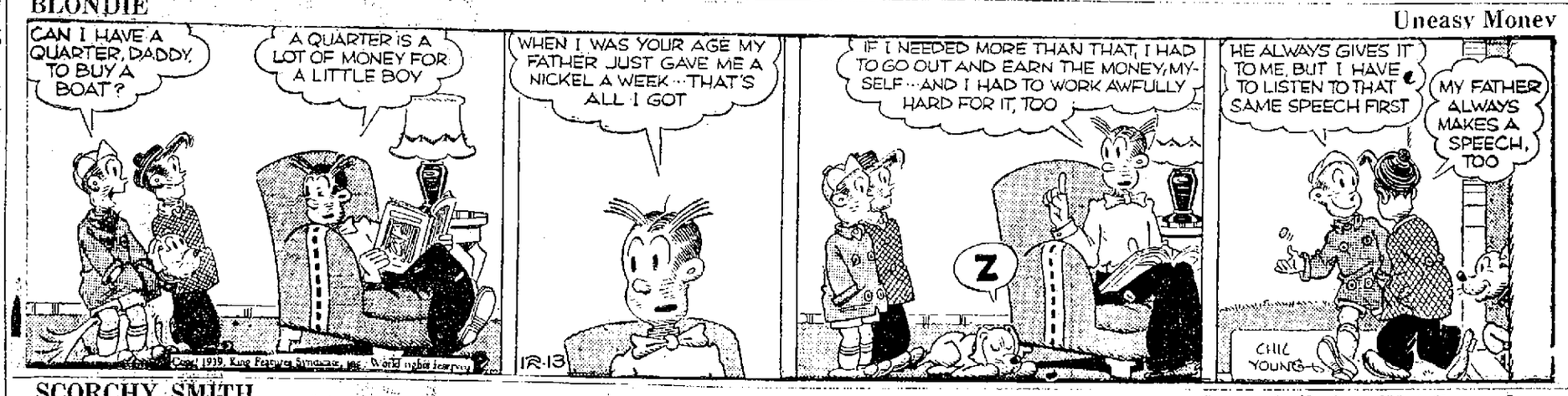

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J. F. Yake, Jr., Esq.,
Gettysburg, Penna.

THE MARKETS

Market prices at the Gettysburg warehouse, corrected daily are as follows:

Wheat	.99
Barley	.50
Eggs (brown)	.20
Eggs (White)	.21
Butter	.15

Philadelphia

BUTTER—Top grades, 31½a35¼c.; 92 score, 30½a31¼c.; 91 score, 30¼c.; 90 score, 28¾c.; 89 score, 28¼c.; 88 score, 27¾c.

EGGS—Receipts, 5,670 cases. Most grades lower. U.S. extras, whites, 25a29c.; browns, 25a28c.; standards Nos. 1-2, 22½a23½c.; Nos. 3 and 4, 21a22c. Trades, 20a21c.; mediums, extras or better, whites, 20a23c.; mediums, standards, 17a18c.

Baltimore

CATTLE—150. Hardly enough of any one class to make market test. Few canner, cutter and common cows from $3.50a5.25; steady with Monday. Fat cows, Monday, mostly $5.50a6.00; good weighty heifer types to $6.50, an individual or so above. Bulk steer sales, $8.35a9.15; few lots of good yearlings, $9.60a10.25; small lot of good and choice, $10.50; low medium and common, $7.50a8.25. Sausage bulls, $6.25a 7.25.

CALVES—50. Vealers weak to 50c. lower than Monday. Good and choice, $10.50 all; common and medium, $8.00a10.00; light culls down to $6.

HOGS—250. Market steady with Monday. Practical top, $6. Good and choice, 120-210 pounds, $5.75a6.00; 220-240 pounds, $5.55a5.80; 250-300 pounds, $5.20a5.60. Packing sows, under 400 pounds, $4.75a 5.00; weightier sows, mainly $4.50a4.75. Above prices based on grainfed hogs.

SHEEP—75. Few lots of good and choice grade ewe and wether lambs steady with Monday at $10.25a10.35; common and mediums, $7.50a9.00. Fat slaughter ewes quoted at $4.00a4.50.

LIVE POULTRY

Receipts light. Market dull.

CHICKENS—Rocks, 15a17c., few higher; crosses, 14a16c.; mixed colors, 14a16c.; ordinary lots, all kinds, 10a13c.

FOWL—Rocks, 16a17c.; mixed colors, 15a17c.; small size, 10a14c.; Leghorns, 10 a12c. Roosters, mixed colors, 10a12c.; Leghorns, 7a10c.

DUCKS—Young, Pekin, 5 lbs. and over, 13a14c.; Muscovies, whites, 13a14c.; mixed colors, 10a12c.

GUINEAS—Over 2 lbs., 40a45c.; smaller, 30a35c. each; per lb., all sizes, 18c.

CAPONS—Six pounds and over, 23a25c.; slips, 16a18c.

TURKEYS—Young hens, mostly 25c.; young toms, 19a20c.

FRUIT

APPLES—Mkt. dull. Truck rects. mod. Truck—Md., Pa., Va., W. Va., bu. bas., U. S. 1s, 2½-in. min., Delicious, $1.15a 1.35, full ripe, 75a90c.; Staymans, good color, 80a90c., fair color, 60a75c.; Yorks, Hubardstons, Maiden Blush and Black Twigs, 60a75c.; Winter Bananas & Starks, 50a65c. Various Fal lVarieties, U. S. 1s, 2¼-in. min., U. S. Commer. and unclass., 35a50c. Bushel boxes: N. Y., U. S. 1s, 2½-in. min., Delicious, $1.15a1.25, few higher; McIntosh, best, $1.25a1.35, poorer, 90c.a$1.

OPPOSE SALARY TAX

Philadelphia, Dec. 13 (AP)—Union labor leaders mapped legal tactics to circumvent a 1 and ½ per cent tax on all incomes earned in Philadelphia as city council met today to act on the budget-balancing measure. Opposition to the proposal gathered momentum slowly in contrast to the hue and cry that thwarted attempts last year to put through a similar tax. Only mild protests were registered Tuesday when the council finance committee approved the levy. Friday is the deadline for adoption of the 1940 city-county budget.

3 Killed in Train-Car Crash in Meyersdale

Meyersdale, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—Three Pennsylvanians met death in the collision of their automobile with the crack Baltimore and Ohio Ambassador limited on Main street here Tuesday night.

Victims were identified by Coroner F. E. Sass as Andrew L. Mack, 26, MacDonaldton, and Gerald L. Mahan, 25, and Milton E. Weimer, 27, both of Berlin, Pa.

Engineer R. D. Bolton, of Pittsburgh, reported the train was traveling about 40 miles an hour when he saw the automobile drive into its path. The locomotive carried the wreckage more than 1,000 feet. Considerable delay was caused the Baltimore to Detroit train.

Mahan and Mack were employes of the express highway being constructed between Pittsburgh and Harrisburg. Mahan, a former resident of McKeesport, Pa., leaves a widow and child. The other victims were unmarried.

War, lack of jobs and racial antagonisms head the list of items about which high-school students are most concerned, according to a recent Y. M. C. A. survey.

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WOMEN'S SWEATERS $1.00 to $2.98
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HAMILTONBAN SCHOOL RECORD IS ANNOUNCED

Fairfield Station.—Pupils who were perfect in attendance during November at the Hamiltonban Consolidated School were: First and second grades—Billy Carson, Neil Hoover, William Sanders, Billy Singley, Grace Cassatt, Nancy Entenmann, Sue Carol Giegley, Alice Ketterman, Joan Kuydendall, George Musselman, Lloyd Myers, Lois Kepner, Dorothy Musselman, Helen Steinberger, Betty Ann Myers, Geraldine Scott, Lela Sites, Ellen Shanaker, Richard Dolly, Clyde Kepner, Francis Sheely, Billy Sites, Donald Swisher, Wanda Currens, Carol Dolly, Janet Shindledecker and Mary Lou Singley. Alma Henry is the teacher.

Third and fourth grades—Charles Fitzsimmons, Thomas Izer, Kenneth McCleaf, Mary Jean Metz, Barbara Musselman, Bobby Scott, Clair Sites, William Sites, David Musselman, Lawrence Kuykendall, Gene Dolly, Amy Moritz, Joellen Kepner, Richard Weikert, Thomas Sanders, Freddie Myers, Betty Mae Singley, Dorothy Jean McCleaf, Calvin McGlaughlin and Helen Nintle. Mrs. Fannie Marks is the teacher.

Seventh and eighth grades—Billy Izer, Wayne Kuykendall, Robert Neely, Martha Flemming, Frances McCleaf, Agnes Neely, Floyd Currens, Thomas Metz, Calvin Sanders, Dale Weikert, Barbara Izer, Kathryn Kepner, Mae Kuykendall, Grace Musselman, Dorothy Weikert, Walter Bigham and Junior Bigham. Miles Deardorff is the teacher.

Fifth and sixth grades—Curtis Shindledecker, Richard Sites, Andrew Strausbaugh, Darrel Wolf, Edwin Currens, Edward Dick, Mary Carson, Hilda Hadley, Caroline Kepner, Esther Ketterman, Ethel Ketterman, Betty Musselman, Laura Sell, Theresa Herring, Betty Kepner, Louise Sites, Charlotte Strausbaugh, Faye Sites, Mary Sites, Kathryn Slaybaugh, Eugene Carey, Robert Carson, Harry Musselman, William Scott, Lewis Sheely, Dale Shultz, Thomas Steinberger, George Swisher, Mary Kathryn Bennett, Hazel Kuykendall, Anna Sites and Armanda Weikert. Mrs. Margaret Kepner is the teacher.

Mrs. Samuel Musselman and sons, Rev. David and Samuel, Jr., spent Saturday in Carlisle.

Miss Lois Brubaker, Grantham, was the guest of Miss Martha Fleming over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jordon, Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Myers and son, of Annapolis, Maryland, and Bert Winger, Grantham, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Fleming, Saturday evening.

Mrs. David Sanders spent Saturday with relatives in Hagerstown.

Files 60th Plea for Writ of Habeas Corpus

Baltimore, Dec. 13 (AP).—For the seventh time in six years Louis Berman hoped today the correspondence he began in studied in a prison cell would lead to freedom from a life term of murder.

Under a statute permitting him to seek a writ of habeas corpus from any circuit judge in the state at any time, he filed his petition before Judge William Loker, of St. Mary's county. The previous 59 attempts were unsuccessful, but each time the state provided a car, officers and guard to take him to prison from the Maryland penitentiary in Baltimore.

"I don't want to deny any man the right of habeas corpus," said Attorney H. Jones, chairman of the board of correction, "but Berman is abusing the law. I've tried to talk him out, but he doesn't seem amenable. He doesn't have any respect for the decisions rendered by the courts."

Berman was sentenced in 1928.

BREAK FOR SOUTHPAWS

State College, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP).—Southpaws will get an unaccustomed break when the nine new buildings at Pennsylvania State college open in 1941. About 250 of the 5,000 classroom seats are made to order for them—with left handed writing arms. Officials report about ten per cent of the 6,600 students are left handed.

NO TIME FOR THANKS

Williamsport, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP).—A dog freed by Boy Scouts from four days imprisonment in a culvert didn't stop to thank its rescuers. The Scouts fed and watered the dog, whose wimpers had attracted seven-year-old Richard Smith, but it bounded away as soon as they moved away stones blocking the culvert entrance.

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Santa and the Talking Doll

—BY SIGRID ARNE—

THE STORY SO FAR: Santa has taken a gift to the King of Westphalia, a doll made by the fairies so she can talk after midnight. Eric, the son of Lightning, who wanted the doll, has been put to sleep for a day and a night by the fairies.

Chapter Nine
The Glass Man

FOR an hour that night Leezen sat silently watching the King of Westphalia. He stared motionless into the leaping fire. It was so silent in the great hall that Leezen could hear the soft swish of snow against the windows. She reached for a little gold box on the table and opened it. There lay a flashing sapphire.

She held it up to the fire, and turned it in the light so that pink lights darted from it. "Oh, I wish Eric could see this," she thought. Then the stone felt queer in her fingers. She looked sharply, and as she did, it turned into a little man, only two inches high. He seemed to be made of blue-white glass. He bowed.

"Why, who are you?" whispered Leezen.

"I'm just a thought some one is thinking of you," said the little man. "Usually I lie asleep in that sapphire. But when anyone picks me up I can reflect the thought of a friend."

"I see," said Leezen. "But who is thinking of me?"

"Look," said the little man. He pulled out a tiny flute, no bigger than a pin, and began to play, "Leezen, Lee-zen."

"It's Eric," said Leezen with shining eyes.

A Sad Tune

The little glass man played on but he played so softly only Leezen heard. She whispered, "How is Eric?" Then the little man played a very sad tune. "Oh, dear," sighed Leezen. "I must escape from here and find him."

She put the little man back into the gold box and as she closed the lid over him he disappeared and only the round sapphire lay there. Then she rose from her chair so cautiously the King didn't notice her. She backed away from him and into the far shadows of the great hall where she found a wide staircase lit by candles. So she tripped silently down them and came out on a court yard where there stood two guardsmen dressed in armor with crimson plumes waving from their helmet. They leaned on their spears. Along the top of the court yard wall great flares of light burned. An iron gate opened onto the road.

Leezen hid behind a pillar to watch because she wanted to take one of the horses tied near the gate. Then she saw the guardsmen walk over to stand under one of the flares. They bent to look at the hilt of a fine sword.

Quick as a breeze Leezen slipped across the court yard. In a twinkling she was on a big white horse and he was galloping out of the court yard, onto the drawbridge, and down the road.

She leaned over to whisper to the horse, "Quick, To Toyland before dawn for then I become like a stone." The horse pricked up his ears and sped. The strong white horse ran and ran until his eyes were red. But it was many, many miles to Toyland, and the woods grew deeper and more lonesome.

After the two had ridden through tall pine trees for three or four hours Leezen saw two bright spots by the side of the rode. It was the glowing eyes of a young wolf that had just awaked and was stretching himself. Then she saw an old crow on the branch of a pine tree take his head out from under his wing and yawn. He cackled after them, "Who are you, who are you?"

"Oh, dear," sighed Leezen. "It's near dawn." She leaned over the horse and whispered, "Faster, faster."

He pulled his muscles tauter. His steps became great leaps. But try as he would he was still galloping through the woods when the sun sent out its first streak of pink.

"Wait," shouted Leezen. The horse pulled up short. She slipped to the ground and ran into the woods. At the foot of a great tree she stopped. She was only a lifeless doll that couldn't see nor hear nor talk. The horse whinnied with fright and galloped off. Leezen was alone and lost.

TOMORROW: Three trolls steal Leezen.

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Former Ohio Governor Buys Atlanta Newspaper

Atlanta, Dec. 13 (AP)—The Atlanta Journal and its radio station W. S. B. functioned under ownership of Ohio's former Governor James M. Cox today, after nearly 40 years of control by James R. Gray, Sr., and his heirs.

Editor James R. Gray, Jr., in a statement Tuesday announced the sale—at an undisclosed price—of the newspaper, the 50,000-watt W. S. B. and W. E. G. G., W. S. B.'s portable relay unit.

Gray said a factor in the decision to sell the 57-year-old newspaper was the "difficulties inherent in" division of control among several heirs following the death of the elder Gray and the prospective further division as shares pass to the third generation.

Cox, 1920 democratic presidential nominee, confirmed the purchase in Miami, Florida, but made no immediate statement on his plans for operation of the properties.

The newspaper early became a member of the Associated Press and in 1894 was enthusiastically supporting this organization. It was one of the charter members of the Associated Press wirephoto network.

ORCHIDS FOR PROSECUTOR

Warren, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—District Attorney Joseph A. Goldstein is being congratulated on his record for the past year. Pleas have been obtained from all law violators without a criminal trial in county court. Jurors summoned for each term have been notified not to appear. Savings to the county have been great since it costs about $300 daily to hold court.

Nazi Liner Docks At Bremerhaven

New York, Dec. 13 (AP)—The North German Lloyd line offices here said today the liner Bremen which successfully ran the British blockade from Murmansk, Russia, had docked safely in Bremerhaven.

The line said the Bremen docked today at noon, German time, and that another liner, the New York, whose position was not definitely known in this country, had reached Hamburg safely. The New York also had been at Murmansk.

The 51,731-ton Bremen, delayed here several days before the outbreak of the war while customs agents searched for contraband, sailed from New York August 30.

STEER RUNS AMOK

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—A black steer from Ohio apparently didn't like taking his last ride to the F. A. Kline packing company. He jumped out of a truck, butted a company employe, frightened scores of school children and raced six miles to Trafford City and back before being brought down with a deer rifle.

TRAFFIC JAM

Reading, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—Impatient motorists honked horns behind an automobile halted at a street intersection. The signal changed. A policeman shouted, then investigated. Behind the wheel he found Albert Boltz, dead of a heart ailment.

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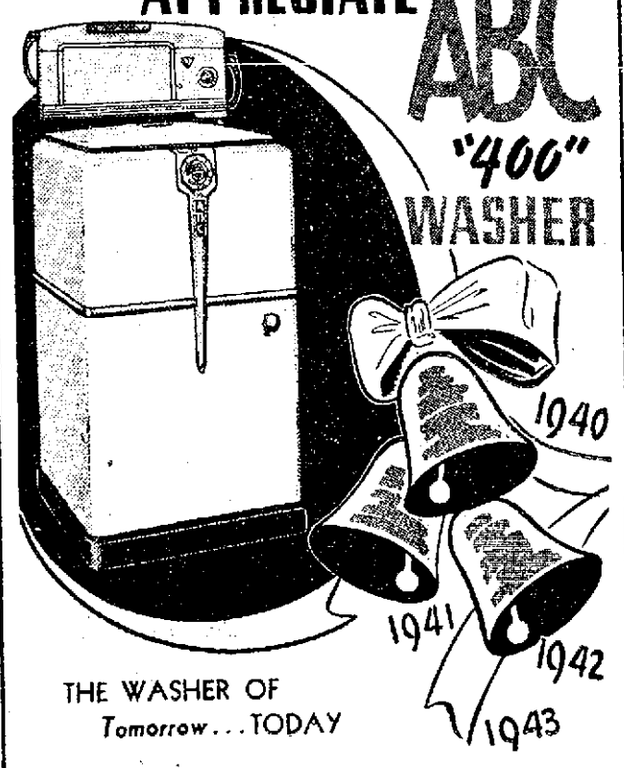

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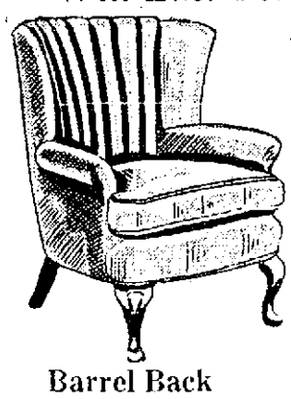

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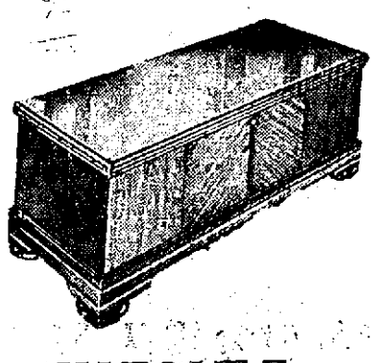

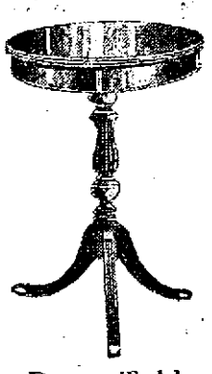

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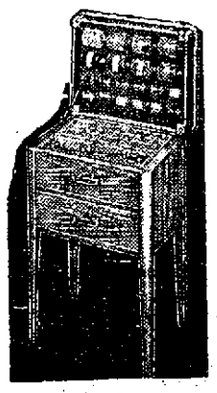

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'35 Hupmobile Coupe	135
'34 Chevrolet Sedan	195
'37 Buick 5-Pass. Sedan with Trunk (Wrecked)	265
'37 Plymouth Sedan	325
'38 Pontiac 6 Sedan	525
'39 Pontiac Phaeton	735
'30 Buick Phaeton	95
'38 Buck 5-Pass. Sedan	575
'32 Buick Convertible Sedan	125
'35 Buick 7-Pass. Sedan. Cannot be told from brand new	350
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'36 Chevrolet 5-Pass. Sedan with Trunk	250
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'36 Oldsmobile 5-Pass. Sedan. Trunk	595
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'36 Packard 120 Sedan	445
'37 Packard 5-Pass. Sedan	445
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Today, 4 P. M. to Midnight

WEAF—NEW YORK—548 M.; 660 KC.
4:00—"Backstage Wife"
4:15—Sketch, "Stella Dallas"
4:30—"Lorenzo Jones"
4:45—"Young Widder Brown"
5:00—"Girl Alone"
5:15—Sketch
5:30—Armstrong's orchestra
5:45—Little Orphan Annie
6:00—Lutheran Laymen Singers
6:15—News
6:30—Stamp club
6:45—"Li'l Abner"
7:00—Waring's orchestra
7:15—"I Love a Mystery"
7:30—Reveler's quartet
7:45—Bob Howard, songs
8:00—Playhouse
8:30—Red Skelton, comedy
9:00—Fred Allen
10:00—Kay Kyser's college
11:00—News
11:15—Waring's orchestra
11:30—Chicago opera

WOR—NEWARK—422 M.; 710 KC.
4:00—News
4:15—Micha Borr Ensemble
4:45—Career of Alice Blair
5:00—Meet Miss Julia
5:15—Kuhn's orchestra
5:45—Sketch
6:00—Uncle Don
6:30—News
6:45—Johnson Family
7:00—Stan Lomax
7:15—The Answer Man
7:30—Lone Ranger
8:00—Clinton's orchestra
8:30—Adventures of Sherlock Holmes
9:00—Gabriel Heater
9:15—Paul Schubert, talk
9:30—Faith's Music
10:00—R. G. Swing
10:15—Sketch
10:30—Fulton Lewis., Jr.
10:45—Christmas Parade
11:00—News, weather
11:15—Tucker's orchestra
11:30—Hayton's orchestra

760k—WJZ—395m
4:00—Club Matinee
5:00—Childs' orchestra
5:30—"Affairs of Anthony"
5:45—"Tom Mix"
6:00—News; Barron's orchestra
6:30—Serenaders
6:45—Lowell Thomas
7:00—Easy Aces
7:15—Lost Persons
7:30—Barron's orchestra
8:00—Breezing Along
8:30—Quiz
9:00—Radio Guild
9:30—Horse and Buggy Days
10:00—Shield's orchestra
10:30—Photography Drama
11:00—Kinney's orchestra
11:30—Olsen's orchestra

WABC—NEW YORK—860 M.; 860 KC
4:00—Bernard's Minstrels
4:30—Health Talk.
4:45—Ed McConnell, songs
5:00—"By Kathleen Norris"
5:15—Billy and Betty
5:30—In Hollywood
5:45—"Scattergood Baines"
6:00—Edwin C. Hill
6:15—Hedda Hopper
6:30—News, Elmer Davis
6:45—European News
7:00—Amos 'n' Andy
7:15—Lum and Abner
7:30—Burns and Allen
8:00—Pearce's Gang
8:30—Whiteman's orchestra
9:00—Radio Theater
10:00—Jean Hersholt
10:30—Indianapolis orchestra
11:00—News
11:15—Norvo's orchestra
11:30—Goodman's orchestra

THURSDAY

WEAF—NEW YORK—454 M.; 660 KC.
8:15—Do You Remember?
8:30—Gene and Glenn
9:00—News; Happy Jack
9:15—Miller's orchestra
9:30—Isabelle M. Hewson
9:45—'Life Can Be Beautiful'
10:00—'The Man I Married'
10:15—"John's Other Wife"
10:30—"Just Plain Bill"
10:45—Woman in White
11:00—"David Harum"
11:15—"The Road of Life"
11:30—"Against the Storm"
11:45—The Guiding Light
12:00 N.—"Carters of Elm St."
12:15—"The O'Neills"
12:30—Dr. C. McCombe
12:45—News; Markets
1:00—Bartal's orchestra
1:15—"Ellen Randolph"
1:30—Let's Talk It Over
1:45—Words and Music
2:00—Betty and Bob
2:15—Grimm's Daughter
2:30—Valiant Lady
2:45—Church Hymns
3:00—Story of Mary Marlin
3:14—"Ma Perkins"
3:30—Pepper Young's family
3:45—Vic and Sade
4:00—"Backstage Wife"
4:15—Sketch 'Stella Dallas'
4:30—"Lorenzo Jones"
4:45—"Young Widder Brown"
5:00—"Girl Alone"
5:15—"Midstream"
5:30—"Jack Armstrong"
5:45—Little Orphan Annie
6:00—Guest Book, June Hynd
6:15—News; Jack Miley
6:30—Barron's orchestra
6:45—"Li'l Abner"
7:00—Waring's orchestra
7:15—"I Love a Mystery"
7:30—All-Star Revue
8:00—One Man's Family
8:30—Those We Love
9:00—Good News of 1940
10:00—Music Hall
11:00—European News
11:15—Little's orchestra
11:30—Kyser's orchestra

WOR—NEWARK—422 M.; 710 KC.
8:00 A. M.—News
8:15—Life Can Be Beautiful
8:30—"Kitty Keane"
8:45—The Goldbergs
9:00—Arthur Godfrey, songs
9:15—The Lamplighter
9:30—Syncopators
10:00—Food Talks
11:00—Pegeen Fitzgerald, talk
11:15—Hitmakers
11:30—Keep Fit to Music
11:45—Medical Talk
12:00 N.—Red River Dave
12:15—Jack Berch, songs
12:30—News
12:45—Consumers' Quiz
1:00—Talk; Music
1:15—Alan Courtney, talk
1:30—Light's orchestra
2:00—Concert Ensemble
2:15—Ed Fitzgerald, talk
2:30—Concert Miniatures
2:45—"David Harum"
3:00—Women's Hour
3:45—O'Hara's orchestra
4:00—News
4:15—Gloomchasers
4:45—"Career of Alice Blair"
5:00—"Meet Miss Julia"
5:15—Kuhn's orchestra
5:45—McCune's orchestra
6:00—Uncle Don
6:30—News
6:45—Johnson Family
7:00—Sports Resume
7:15—Rollini Trio
7:30—Dr. Frank Kingdon
7:45—Sports
8:00—Kay Kyser's orchestra
9:00—Commentary
9:15—Diddy Wiggers
9:30—Whiteman's orchestra
10:00—R. G. Swing
10:15—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
10:30—Weber's concert
10:45—Christmas Parade
11:00—News
11:15—Spy Story
11:45—Murphy's orchestra

WJZ—NEW YORK—895 M.; 760 KC.
8:00—A. M.—Earlbirds
8:15—The Wife Saver
8:30—Dick Leibert, organ
8:45—Harvey and Dell
9:00—News; Women's News
9:30—Breakfast club
10:00—Thunder of Paradise
10:15—"Right to Happiness"
10:30—"Mary Marlin"
10:45—"Midstream"
11:00—Pepper Young's Family
11:15—"Young Dr. Malone"
11:30—Rosa Lee, soprano
11:45—Dr. William Stidger
12:00—N.—Eugene Copley, tenor
12:15—Quartet; News
12:30—Farm and Home Hour
1:15—Virginia Hays, songs
1:30—Hoosier Hop
2:00—Ideas that come True
2:30—U. S. Marine Band
3:00—Orphans of Divorce
3:15—Chase Twins
3:30—"Career Wife"
3:45—Between Bookends
4:00—Club Matinee
4:30—Medicine in News
5:00—Clinton's orchestra
5:30—"Affairs of Anthony"
5:45—"Tom Mix"
6:00—News
6:15—Musical Bits
6:30—McGee's orchestra
6:45—Lowell Thomas
7:00—Easy Aces
7:15—Lost Persons
7:30—Sketch
8:00—Drama
8:30—Joe Penner
9:00—Rochester Philharmonic orchestra
9:30—Town meeting
10:00—Vicki Chase
11:00—Lunceford's orch.
11:30—Breeze's orchestra

WABC—NEW YORK—340 M.; 860 KC.
8:00 A. M.—European News
8:15—Talk; music
8:30—Cook's almanac
8:45—Adelaide Hawley
9:00—Manhattan Mother
9:15—School of the Air
9:45—"Bachelor's Children"
10:00—Pretty Kitty Kelly
10:15—Myrt and Marge
10:30—"Hilltop House"
10:45—"Stepmother"
11:00—L'Amour Toryours
11:15—"Brenda Curtis"
11:30—"The Big Sister"
11:45—Aunt Jenny's stories
12:00—Kate Smith, talk
12:15—"When a Girl Marries"
12:30—Helen Trent's Romance
12:45—"Our Gal Sunday"
1:00—"The Goldbergs"
1:15—Life Can Be Beautiful
1:30—This Day Is Ours
1:45—The Road of Life
2:00—'Barclay's Daughters'
2:15—"Dr. Susan"
2:30—Your Family and Mine
2:45—"My Son and I"
3:00—"Girl Interne"
3:15—"Society Girl"
3:30—News; "Jonathan"
3:45—Richard Maxwell
4:00—Block Varieties
4:30—So You Want to Be
4:45—Ed McConnell, songs
5:00—"By Kathleen Norris"
5:15—Billy and Betty
5:30—Hollywood Talk
5:45—"Scattergood Baines"
6:00—News; Edwin C. Hill
6:15—Sports
6:30—H. V. Kaltenborn
6:45—European News
7:00—Amos 'n' Andy
7:15—Michael Loring, songs
7:30—Vox Pop
8:00—Ask-It Basket
8:30—Strange as It Seems
9:00—Major Bowes' amateurs
10:00—Columbia Workshop
10:30—Americans at Work
11:00—News
11:15—Duchin's orchestra
11:30—Goodman's orchestra

Roosevelt Advocates Trade Agreements

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP)—Extension of the reciprocal trade program, advocated by President Roosevelt, was shaping up today as one of the biggest issues for the 1940 congress.

Shortly after the chief executive told reporters late Tuesday he would ask for renewal of the reciprocal trade act, which expires June 12, senate minority leader McNary (R-Ore) predicted its overwhelming defeat.

The President said the trade program, inaugurated by Secretary of State Hull, had met with success in increasing American exports. He expressed the opinion it should be continued in an effort to reach potential foreign markets offering opportunites for increased sales of American products.

Many of the foes, however, have said they opposed the program on the ground it has permitted an increase in agricultural imports while this country faced crop surpluses.

Not Alarmed Over 170 State College Influenza Cases

State College, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—Dr. Joseph P. Ritenour, director of health service at Pennsylvania State college, insisted today there was no cause for alarm over a sudden outbreak of intestinal influenza which has stricken more than 170 co-eds at the school.

He reported 86 women in four college dormitories were confined in bed with the illness "that ordinarily lasts but two or three days." An additional 85 patients are "up and around."

Doctor Ritenour said some of the 6,600 students were asking that Christmas vacation be moved up due to the outbreak. A college spokesman stated no student was held on the campus against his will and that anyone stricken with the illness who failed to give promise of recovering before start of vacation was advised to go home.

CREAM ON THE CUFF

Omaha, Neb. — Sammy, a common alley cat, has a charge account for his milk. Each day the milkman leaves a bottle, even "pours" for Sammy, at a bakery garage where the cat keeps warm. The bakery cashier sends a monthly account to New York headquarters and a special check is made out to the dairy for Sammy's milk. On Christmas Day he gets a bottle of cream.

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AMONG HIS SOUVENIRS

Fort Wayne, Ind. — Frank Williams, 51, after serving a 41-day jail term for a minor offense, was about to go home. Deputy Sheriff Robert Bledsoe searched him and found a jail-owned towel, soap and spoon in his pocket. He sent Williams right back to a cell, charged with petit larceny.

FUTILITY

Covington, Ky. — Harry Penny, president of a millwork company, figured it might be a good idea to change his safe combination just to be safe. But, he told police, thieves came during the night, opened the box, took $25 — and carefully locked it again.

THAT'S THE WAY IT GOES

Sacramento, Calif. — Charles Peters, 53, ran to call an ambulance for a stranger he thought was injured. He slipped and broke a leg. The stranger was just drunk.

NUMBER, PLEASE?

Portland, Ore. — If K. P. Scott ever forgets his phone number he's sunk. His phone is Sunset 7342; his auto license is 7342; he lives at 7342 S.E. 32d avenue.

TRAPPED

Avilla, Ind.—Herbert Eley's rat trap worked almost too well. He piped carbon monoxide from the exhaust of his automobile into his basement to kill the rodents; then went down to see how it was working. Eley was overcome. His mother rescued him.

WHAT? NO SPINACH?

Lafayette, Ind.—Prof. B. H. Petty of Purdue university says his pet Patsy showed what a dog could do on good, plain food. Patsy, part fox terrier and part spitz, died at the age of 18 years. She lived to that aged, said the professor, on a diet of only raw hamburger, fruit and vegetables.

100 PCT. DEFENSE

Nelscott, Ore.—The Navy has the situation in hand here. Replied the postmaster to a naval recruiting office wanting names of young men eligible for enlistment. "There is not a man here 18 to 31. The only two qualified recently joined the Navy."

PERFECT DEFENSE

Oklahoma City.—Carl Dannenfelser won permission to leave McAlester penitentiary, 125 miles away, without a guard to appear before the criminal court of appeals. Pleading his own case he won a reduction of his forgery sentence and will be released in a few days.

SOLD!

Des Moines, Ia.—The man with the hay and the man with the diamond got right down to primitive business practices, a swap. Herman Lanz, 56, a bachelor farmer living near Newton, walked into Max Solar's jewelry store here, selected a man's diamond ring and said: "I'll give you 20 tons of hay for it." "It's a deal," said Solar. Alfalfa hay is priced currently at $8 to $11 a ton.

STANDARD OIL TO ANNOUNCE NEW GAS

The pledge of product leadership which the company made to its dealers in 1933 was re-affirmed by E. H. Collins, vice president and manager of the Standard Oil company of Pennsylvania at a meeting of Gettysburg Esso dealers near Chambersburg.

The meeting was called to present to the dealers the first full details of the most important marketing change in the history of the company: The announcement of the New Esso, first premium quality gasoline to be sold at "regular" price, and the new Esso Extra, replacing the company's old Esso.

The dealers also were given full details of the award to the scientists of the Esso laboratories of the 1939 national award for chemical engineering achievement. The award, which never before has been given to an oil company, was in recognition of Esso's many advancements in developing super-fuels for aircraft and other high powered engines and was presented by Dr. Webster M. Jones, President of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers.

G. R. Dale, Harrisburg district sales manager for Esso, announced to the dealers the advertising campaign which the company is launching to introduce the two new gasolines.

British Try New Attack on Mines

London, Dec. 13 (AP) — The British air force tried out a new method of scotching the German mine menace today.

The air ministry announced aerial "security patrols" had been maintained throughout the night over mine-laying and aircraft bases in Helgoland bight.

Indicating the system might become general, a ministry spokesman said there was "obviously a lot behind it."

(Helgoland, an island in the North Sea, lies 45 miles northwest of the mouths of the Elbe and Weser rivers. It and its bight, or bay, are an important link in Germany's naval defense.)

British radio listeners saw in the air ministry communique a possible explanation for sudden cessation of broadcasting by Bremen and Hamburg radio stations Tuesday night.

They faded out during programs of English news bulletins and remained silent until early this morning.

(Planes could orient themselves by picking up a radio station's broadcasts.)

U. S. Alert for Violations Of National Defense Laws

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP) — The Federal bureau of Investigation is receiving an average of 214 complaints a day of espionage, sabotage and violations of national defense laws.

The bureau said Tuesday night in a report on its activities however, that "the internal security of the United States is better protected than at any other period in our national existence."

Since early last summer, the report said, F.B.I. agents have been given intensive training in the handling of espionage and sabotage investigations.

"The spy problem and the crime problem are essentially the same and must be attacked on the same front," commented J. Edgar Hoover, director of the F.B.I.

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